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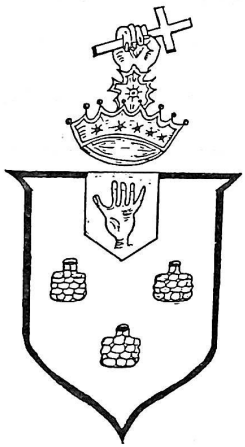

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"It is indeed a desirable thing
to be well descended,
but the glory belongs
to our Ancestors."
-Plutarch (A.D. 46-120)

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INTRODUCTION

The work of compiling a genealogy of the David Caldwell family in America was begun by my aunt, Johnnie Caldwell Files, in about 1960. At first she was interested in proving her descent from a Revolutionary War Patriot for membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution. This quest was successfully completed when she proved that James Caldwell had served in the South Carolina Militia during the War of Independence. Her interest in genealogy was thus whetted and she went on to spend many hours in libraries, archives and at the typewriter corresponding with other researchers seeking more information about the Caldwell origins.

Her efforts were joined by those of others with similar interests, Mary Lou Caldwell Whelchel, Elizabeth Blanks Acruman, Georgia Carothers Eberly, Lucille Caldwell Brown who engaged in active research and shared their findings.

In the 1970's the author became interested in genealogy and joined in the work of climbing the family tree. He built on the solid foundation of research conducted previously by many others, sorted it out and at the urging of Johnnie Caldwell Files began the process of molding the myriad data into book form.

The final stages of compilation were magnificently supported by the efforts and sharing of many persons. The Alabama line would not be possible in its completeness without the devoted efforts of Mrs. Leta Mae Camp and her mother Mrs. Lucille Caldwell Brown of Talladega, Alabama. Their efforts were supplemented by Dr. James L. Caldwell of Columbia, South Carolina. A line that we had "lost", that of Thomas Caldwell B.10, was found when we were contacted by Mrs. Harold Clark, Jr. of St. Joseph, Louisiana and this information filled a large gap on our work. John Thomas Caldwell of Los Alamos, New Mexico was an invaluable source of data on the descendants of William Harris Caldwell C.45 the son of William Harris Caldwell B.8 and put us in touch with Mrs. Kay Kemp Taylor of Abernathy, Texas who supplied data on William A. Caldwell D.39 and his descendants. A debt of gratitude is due to all of our living cousins who provided material on our contemporaries and the later generations. They are legion and the list would be too long to include here. However, they are found in their place in this book for those who come after us to remember as they read this. Every person entered here has been a contributor to the greatness of America in their own individual way. Some as famous men, others as the toilers and plodders without whose efforts nothing would be possible. There have been doctors, lawyers, school teachers, nuclear physicists, dragline operators, nurses, secretaries and every known occupation. Our earlier ancestors were primarily farmers and from this heritage we still find the innate love of the land.

I was asked why I put in a space for the death date of persons living at this time and the space for a marriage for persons obviously too young for matrimony. The answer is very simple, this enables the owner of a copy of the book to enter this information as it becomes pertinent, thus allowing a constant up-dating process.

There are, no doubt, many errors in this book, both typographical and factual. I have striven to avoid as many errors as possible but, being human many will be found. For the factual errors I ask for your forbearance and feel that you will forgive the typing errors of a novice typist. Most of the genealogical information on the earlier generations is supported by documentation while that of the later generations is for the most part taken from material furnished by people who, from personal knowledge, know the facts about their side of the family. This we have taken on trust and faith in their reliability and knowledge of their lines.

The writer and researchers responsible for this book fully realize that we have only barely scratched the surface when it comes to documenting the descendants of David Caldwell in America. The number of his possible descendants calculated arithmatically staggers the imagination and we leave it to some courageous soul in the future to continue the search.

We welcome any constructive comments from readers and hope that they will bring to our attention any factual errors and that they will furnish us with any additional data which will fill out the many gaps existing in the lineage.

The method used to identify individuals and their children is not an invention of ours. We think it is one of the best and least confusing and cumbersome systems ever developed. It avoids the very clumsy numeric system with its decimals and ever ballooning size of the numbers as you progress through the generations. The first we saw of this system was in a book written by Otto Basye chronicling the Basye family in America.

The great majority of the Caldwell descendants whom we contacted responded promptly and enthusiastically when we asked for information. As is to be expected within a family so large and diverse, we did run into a very few recalcitrant "cousins" who declined to assist us in assembling the facts and refused to furnish any information on their particular family. This is sad since in the final analysis it will be their descendants who will suffer should they at sometime in the future wish to trace their ancestry back into the mists of time.

I would be remiss if I did not mention the immense contribution of H. L. Carlisle of Calhoun Falls, South Carolina, who is widely recognized as the official historian of Abbeville County, South Carolina. Mr. Carlisle has spent a lifetime in the pursuit of truth and the facts of the history of the Up Country of South Carolina and has assembled a wealth of material on the early settlers of the area. He has always been most gracious in sharing his material with any and all who came to him seeking it.

ORIGINS

The following material is from "Historical Sketch of the Caldwell Family", by William Arthur Porter, Minneapolis, MN. This copy was made from a photocopy in the possession of Mr. George E. Caldwell, Box 133, Williamsville, IL. Date of the original typewritten sketch is not given.

The story of the origin of the name Caldwell is rather unusual and most interesting. During the latter part of the fifthteenth and early part of the sixteenth centuries, two brothers by the name of Barbarossa were in complete control of the Mediterranean Sea. They commanded a most powerful fleet before which all nations bowed and paid tribute. Friendly nations looked upon these brothers as protectors to whom they were willing to pay the price of protection. Enemies called them pirates. It would be hard for us today to judge just in what status such a naval institution should be classified in view of modern navies. After an undisputed mastery of the Mediterranean for nearly twenty years the influence of the Barbarossas was ended by the Governor of Aran when he defeated them.

Among those who escaped were three brothers, John, Alexander and Oliver, each of whom had commanded a vessel under the Barbarossas; these three brothers returned to Toulon, France where they were born, and settled near Mount Arid (the name of the mountain appears as Mt. Aud in some accounts).

The three brothers established a naval force of their own almost as formidible as that of Barbarossa. Merchants of Lisbon and Spain hired them to capture or destroy pirate ships on the Mediterranean. For this service, which was a benefit to France also, they received $20,000 from King Francis I of France. Various people and nations employed them to protect their ships on the seas.

In 1525 when Charles V of Germany, who was also the King of Spain, was at war with Francis I of France, the three brothers espoused the cause of Charles V who was finally victorious. Naturally, this course of action aroused the enmity of Francis I, who thereafter called them "Protestants" and the "Robbers of Arid."

At the time, the King of France was having very unpleasant relations with James VI of Scotland. The King of France was persecuting the Protestants at every opportunity, while the King of Scotland favored them. These conditions made John, Alexander and Oliver very welcome in Scotland. An agreement was entered into between the three brothers and James VI of Scotland whereby they were permitted to buy a tract of land and make their home in Scotland. In return for this privilege each brother agreed to furnish upon request of the King, "a son with a troop of twenty horsemen of sound limb and fully armed to aid in the wars of the King." By special permission of the King they purchased land from a Bishop named Douglas. This land was located in a region known as the region of the "cold well". It was located in the southern part of Scotland, or Solway Firth, in Argyle County. Upon this land was located a well of pure and very cold water, and as has been mentioned before, the locality was known as the area of the "cold well."

Soon these new settlers were known as the people of the cold well region...as John of Coldwell, Alexander of Coldwell and Oliver of Coldwell, and finally as John Coldwell or Caldwell, etc.

In this area they lived, accumulated wealth, and became very influential. They intermarried with the most powerful families of the land and became connected with the Royal Family. Queen Elizabeth was a descendant of the Caldwells and was their staunch friend.

The various branches of the family adopted Coats-of-Arms that were always symbolic of a water region, such as wells, fountains, waves, ships, fish, and waterfowl...all suggestive of water.

In 1649 when Oliver Cromwell went to the North of Ireland as its Governor, his cousins, Joseph, John, Andrew, David and Daniel Caldwell went with him. Oliver Cromwell's maternal grandmother was Ann of Caldwell. Upon Cromwell's promotion to the Protectorship of England in 1653, some of the Caldwells remained in Ireland in his interest. Thus did the family grow in power.

At the death of Cromwell and upon the return of Charles II (Restoration, May 29, 1660), however, the flourishing days of the Caldwells ended. At this point in their history, therefore, we enter into a new chapter.

From the Sketch of Thomas H. Caldwell, grandson of Robert, great grandson of Alexander and Mary Stephenso, we read:

Some of the Caldwells emigrated to America at once to escape the enmity of the new King and his forces. Others remained in Ireland, Scotland and Wales. The children, grandchildren and later generations of those who remained in the British Isles continued to cross to America until their descendants are numbered by the thousands and can be found in every state in the Union.

About 1745, one of the descendants of one of the three original brothers started to America. The name of this particular descendant was Alexander Caldwell. Before taking ship, Alexander decided to visit kinsmen in Wales. While there, he fell in love with the daughter of his relative, Mary Calwell. The courtship was short and they were married in Wales and very soon started on the long journey to the New World.

Since Alexander and his bride were without money and without the price of passage, they were compelled to bind themselves to the ship captain for a term of servitude long enough to pay the cost of their passage. It took the couple about a year to pay off this debt after landing in Philadelphia.

When they were free, they bought land and settled about six miles north of Philadelphia. Two of the groom's brothers, David and Oliver, and two brothers of the bride, Joseph and Daniel, all of whom are reported to have come to America about the same time, settled in the same neighborhood with the newly married couple. These five families formed what was known as the Pennsylvania Colony of Caldwells.

We feel strongly that we are descended from this group, the descendants of whom filtered into Virginia, Kentucky, and the Carolinas.

NOTE: An indepth study of this and other lines of the Caldwells can be found in a manuscript compiled by, Mrs. John Q. Anderson, in 1966. At the time, she lived at 4370 Wheeler, Houston, TX.

PRIDE OF ANCESTRY

This book has to do with the descendants of David Caldwell and his wife Ann Harris who came to the shores of the New World about two hundred and forty years ago to start life anew in a wild and untamed land. It is the story of many families who through the centuries have been connected with the Caldwells. The scenes in this human drama shift constantly as do the players on the stage of life who appear for a brief moment in the great expanse of time, make their contribution to the human experience and pass on into memory.

The desire to know more of our ancestors is human and commendable. And if the ancestor has given us anything to be proud of, we take great pleasure in pointing others to our ancestral kinsmen. But, we cannot be proud of an ancestor who has brought shame and disgrace upon the name.

Pride in one's ancestors should not be boastful or selfish nor too sentimental. It should be part of our reserve strength fortifying us in the battles we engage in during our time on this earth. It was Daniel Webster who said: "There is a moral and philosophical respect for our ancestors which elevates the character and improves the heart." Farther back, we are constrained by one of the Ten Commandments, "Honor thy father and thy mother."

In our search for our origins we travel many circuitous and sometimes confusing ways: poring over old legal records in dusty backrooms of countless backwater county courthouses, delving into the mysteries of countless forbidding tomes in countless libraries and archives, writing hundreds of letters to potential sources, marching resolutely through the tall grass and weeds of forgotten cemeteries in isolated rural areas contending with the chiggers and other assorted foes which test our determination. We are surprised and gratified when we discover those strange and unusual folk who comprise our heritage as we study old maps, wills, estate administrations, personal letters and such which give us vivid insight into the character and personality of our elusive ancestors. We study law, science, medicine, psychology, history, religion, government and architecture...all branches of knowledge in our efforts to unearth the smallest bit of information which might open the door to further knowledge and understanding of our heritage. We find inspiration and a renewed faith in humanity from the example of our forebearers as we learn of their perseverance and courage in the face of seemingly insurmountable obstacles.

As we grow older we turn our minds somewhat aside from the every day chores of business and social affairs and begin to ask ourselves the questions; "If a man shall die shall he live again?", and we look back searching in wonder for an answer to "Whence came I?" "Who are my forefathers?" "What did they do?" "Where did they live?" "WHAT IS THERE ABOUT THEM THAT WILL HELP ME TO UNDERSTAND MYSELF?" "Why am I here?" "Am I like unto them?"

THE SCOT

The traits of character of the present-day native of Scotland were rather humorously stated by Reverend John Watson (Ian Maclaren) in a lecture given in the United States in 1897 and to my mind are very descriptive of my Scot-Irish forbearers and some contemporary cousins. The following excerpts are taken from that address to illustrate his estimate of his countrymen:

"Every nation takes its own humor in its own way, some joyously, some seriously, but none more conscientiously than the Scots...In the Scots mind, when a jest presents itself, the question arises, 'is it a jest at all?', and it is given a careful and analytical examination, and IF after twenty-four hours, it continues to appear to be a jest, it is accepted and done much honor."

"The Scots have no wit. Life to them has been too intense and too bitter a struggle for the production of humor...we Scots have not the most democratic form of humor, which is called 'FUN'. Fun seems to be the possession of the English race. Everybody understands it because it is practical...In English households fun is going on all the time. The entire house resounds with it...The Scots are devoid of this trait, and the Americans seem to be too...There is one department left, perhaps the most severely intellectual of all. It is irony. The Scottish literature and life are exceedingly rich in irony. It has come from the bitter indignation of a people who have seen some amazing absurdity or wrong. Hence the 'sair' laugh of a Scotsman is a bitter laugh, not on the outside, but on the inside and deep down. Irony is the most profound form of humor, and in that department of humor the Scots are unexcelled. A Scotsman has to plow ground that is more stones than earth; he has to harvest his crops out of the teeth of the snow storm; three centuries of the sternest Calvinism are behind him; his life has been a continual struggle and surprise; and all these things have taught him the irony of life..."

"A Scot's humor is always grim, because he is always in contact with the tragedy of life...A Scot's humor is dry and never sweet, always biting and never consoling..."

"Another characteristic of the Scotsman is that he will admit nothing. He is so careful in picking out his words that there is never room to get back of one of his statements and push it from its citadel. It is cruel to try to get an admission or an agreement to any statement from a Scot...I have striven for weeks to get a Scotsman to admit to something...on the weather, on the crops, on anything...but he would never make an admission..."

"Controversy is Scotland's great national game. The Scottish nation to greater degree than any other, is ecclesiastical or theological, for all Scots are either pillars of the church or buttresses outside. Yes, and for various reasons. One is that the Scotsman regards the fear of God as the deepest thing in human knowledge, and that a man cannot have religion that has got no reason in it and no principle. Again, the Scotsman takes to theology like a duck to water because it affords him the best opportunity he can get for discussion and argument...Our whole nation, in fact, rejoices in theology."

"The Scottish people have long been noted for their austerity and for the respect shown to the Sabbath. I will leave it to my audience to say whether it has been the weakest or strongest nations of the earth which have kept the Sabbath...Did not the American forefathers themselves consecrate Sunday as a day of rest and keep it with the utmost strictness?"

"Another Scottish trait is 'dourness', defined in the dictionary as obstinacy. But dourness is obstinacy raised to the nth power. It is one hundred obstinate people rolled into one...Led by this trait a certain Scotsman always stood up during prayers when others were kneeling, and sat down when others stood to sing, because, as he expressed it, the ordinary method was the only one used by the English and he wasn't going to do as they did."

"Let the Scots alone and there are no more civil people in the world, but let someone come bringing them a new faith, or let the tyrant try to oppress, and they will resist to the end...But if you take a Scotsman on the right side, flatter him and tell him you want to be his friend, he is too soft, you can do anything with him, and herein is the inconsistency of his nature. You trust us and you may use us as you please, but take us on the wrong side, try to make us do what we do not want to do, and we would not yield an inch if you proposed the most reasonable thing in the universe. But unless a nation has a backbone, it deserves no honor..."

"The Scotsman regards only two things with absolute reverence. Money is not one of them, His religion is one, learning is the other... To prepare a son for college after he has been duly declared by the minister and other authorities as having in him the making of a scholar, no sacrifice is too great, or labor too hard, or planning too arduous... It would be well if between the cottages and universities an open road were kept, and upon that road the grass were never allowed to grow..."

"Among all our qualities, the deepest rooted, apart from the fear of God, is sentiment. And yet we do not receive credit for it because we have not 'sentimentalism', which is the caricature and ghost of sentiment. The sentiment of the Scots is of the heart and not the lips. If I saw a couple of Scotsmen kissing each other goodbye, I wouldn't lend five shillings to either of them. It is not uncommon to see such an exhibition among Italians. I do not blame them. They are as God made them, and so they must be. People doubt whether we have any sentiment at all. Some think that we are hard-hearted and cold-blooded. Our manner is less genial and not effusive. Our misfortune is not to be able to express our feelings..."

"But, not withstanding the irony that underlies the Scot's nature, and his apparent stolidness, there does lie within his bosom, unseen, a store of sentiment; for where do you find ballads touching home life so beautifully as do those of Scotland - such as 'Robin Adair', 'Will Ye No Come Back Again', 'Auld Lang Syne'? If a Scotsman is forced to leave his home, the roots of his life are being torn up; he is outraged in feeling and ready to become an anarchist. There is no greater sin than to dispossess a Scotsman of his home."

"Forgive us that we have no outward manner. Believe us that we have a warm heart. If you want manners, go to another nation. If you want a warm heart, go to a Scotswoman or man. The songs of Robert Burns are indicative of the character of the Scottish people. Reading them you can read the beating of the Scottish heart...History has no more generous, impulsive rebellion than the Rebellion of '45, when men sent their sons, maidens their sweethearts, to the field in behalf of Prince Charlie. They had nothing to win, they had everything to lose, and they gave their blood freely for a sentimental cause."

"But we are told that we are a thrifty people, as if that were a term of reproach. But does not Scottish thrift mean some of the best and most useful qualities - foresight, self-denial, the conscientious use of money? Does it not mean independence? When I contrast this quality with the recklessness and improvidence of the man who carries a reputation for being 'generous', I declare before this audience that I am not ashamed of the thrift of our people by which they have maintained their self-respect, have been enabled to help one another, and to keep their poor from becoming a burden in the great cities...It is the nations, like individuals who know how to deny themselves, who make their mark in the world."

"There exists between all natives of Scotland a bond of sympathy. Where do you find persons who love their country as do the Scots? Let three Scotsmen meet in a foreign city and they form a St. Andrews Society to assist their countrymen."

"Scotland has been a stern mother to her children, never overfeeding them, and using the stick when it was necessary; and when they have departed from their native land they always look back and bless her. Ours is a little country, and this is perhaps one reason why we love it so well. Yours is a great and good country, and I wish it peace and prosperity; but there is an advantage in a little country - you can carry it more easily in your heart."

From: HISTORY OF THE SCOTCH PEOPLE IN NORTH CAROLINA, Vol. I, pp. 19-22

DAVID CALDWELL

b. about 1705/1710, d. about 1780/1781, m. Ann Harris.
Their Children: A.1, A.2, A.3, A.4, A.5, A.6, A.7.

The first factual evidence found of this ancestor is recorded on page four of the *Presbyterian Congregation on Rocky River*, by Thomas Hugh Spence, Jr. to the effect that "the New Side Synod of New York on October 3, 1755 appointed a Mr. John Clark to take a journey into Virginia and North Carolina. On October 12, which fell on Sunday, he preached at the home of Justice Alexander. On Wednesday, at Major Harris' and on Friday at the residence of David Caldwell, five or six miles further on."

In recording the movement of the early settlers from the North of Ireland to this region, Foote identifies the particular points of their residence in the following words:

"As was usual, they came in a company; Colonel Robert Harris on Reedy Creek, his brother, Samuel Harris on Clear Creek, Andrew Davis on Reedy Creek, Moses Shelby on Clear Creek, William White and his two brothers, James and Archibald, on or near Rocky River, David Caldwell on Caldwell's Creek and Adam Alexander on Clear Creek. The Morrison family came early to Rocky River from Scotland, making a short souourn in Pennsylvania."

Some of the early genealogists have confused this David Caldwell's descendants with those of John Caldwell of Cub Creek. They have also confused him with Reverend David Caldwell, born 1725, died 1824, son of Andrew Caldwell, who did not come to North Carolina until 1764.

In the 1761 minutes of the Synod of New York and Philadelphia, (see pages 306-307, Records of the Presbyterian Church.), our David Caldwell is listed as an Elder attending Synod at the Second Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia as a representative of Hanover Presbytery. On May 21, 1761, this David Caldwell, with others was placed on a commission to study the Indian Mission. Another reference at this same meeting of Synod to "Mr. Caldwell" is to Reverend James Caldwell.

Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, Deed Book I, page 542, dated 24 November 1762, shows Arthur Dobbs deeding to David Caldwell, Anson County, State of North Carolina, for 36 pounds, 2 shilling, 5 pence, 287 acres situated in said county, beginning at a stake near Caldwell Creek running.....

Deed book 6, page 60, is an indenture covering the sale by Abner Nash and Justina, his wife, a certain tract of land lying on the Southeast side of Caldwell Creek.

Even though this David Caldwell and his family lived in Anson, Mecklenburg and Cabarrus Counties, they never moved, The county lines were changed.

The Presbyterian Congregation on Rocky River, pages 16 and 25, mentions the signers of a petition in 1771 and among the 28 names we find David Caldwell, James Caldwell and John Caldwell among the residents of Rocky River and Coddle Creek settlements.

DAVID CALDWELL was born between 1705/1710 and married Ann Harris who was born in about 1715. From the book, *Harris, Miller, Valentine, Dunlap Families*, found in the Library of Congress, we know that the Harris family lived in Raphoe, County Donegal, Ireland. Since DAVID CALDWELL married Ann Harris, daughter of James Harris and his first wife, Mary Simpson, before they came to America between 1740/1747, we feel DAVID CALDWELL must have lived there or close by. There is the possibility that he lived in Pennsylvania and perhaps Viriginia before moving to North Carolina. This was the case with many of the Scots-Irish immigrants of the day who came into the Port of Philadelphia, tarried in Pennsylvania for a time before migrating down the Shenandoah Valley into Virginia and the Carolinas. The Harris family first settled in Pennsylvania. Ann Harris was the granddaughter of Edward Harris who married Flora Douglas.

As of September, 1984, we have not established documentary evidence as to the parents of DAVID CALDWELL. It is believed that he is the David Caldwell who came to America with Alexander Caldwell and Oliver Caldwell about 1745 in company with Alexander Caldwell's wife and brothers, Joseph and Daniel COLWELL, which group were known as the *Pennsylvania Colony of Caldwells* at the time John Caldwell of Cub Creek organized the Virginia Colony.

We are working on the theory that David Caldwell, step-son of James Glen, mentioned in the following will of James Glen could be our David Caldwell.

PENNSYLVANIA MAGAZINE, Volume 37, pages 83 & 84.

CALDWELL, the name David Caldwell appears, about 1747, in Pennsylvania and unless we are mistaken, a little later in Virginia, in the company of other settlers from the North of Ireland and of Scots-Irish descent. The will of James Glen of Boyturn in the County of Tyrone and Barony of Strabane, farmer. Dated 13 September 1740, proved 23 May 1747.

"The testator desires to be buried in Ardstaw. He bequeaths to his son John 'the half of the farm I now live on' and to his (testator's) son William Glen, a heifer. The other half of (testator's) farm is bequeathed to wife Jean, and children Betrick and Fransus (sic). Testators' son John and wife Jean are to plough, sow and labour the daughter's portion of the land for the latter's maintenance.

EXECUTORS: David Caldwell (my step-son) and Matthew Patrick.

WITNESSES: James Modey, David Patrick and Matthew Patrick.

This will was proved, as above, by Matthew Patrick, the other executor David Caldwell being absent abroad. It has been proved that William Glen son of the testator and the half brother of the above David Caldwell removed to Pennsylvania, where he died without issue. John Glen, the other son of James probably also immigrated to the Province.

PENNSYLVANIA MAGAZINE, Volume 36, pages 497 & 498, Notes on the Family of Glen or Glenn.

James Glen, son of Ninian, seems to be identical with James of Boyturn, Tyrone, whose will of 13 September 1740 was proven 23 May 1747. This James married, second the widow of one Caldwell, mother of David Caldwell, executor of his step-father's will, but who in 1747 was in Pennsylvania. John and William Glen (Glenn), half-brothers to David Caldwell, also removed to Pennsylvania. William is believed to be the William Glen (Glenn) buried at the Presbyterian Church near Media, Pennsylvania, born 1730...

During the American Revolution, David Caldwell sided with the American Forces and though too old for active military service he furnished much needed supplies to the Americans. We find records to support this in the North Carolina Archives, to wit:

NORTH CAROLINA ARCHIVES, Raleigh, North Carolina.

Box 30
State of North Carolina
County of Mecklenburg *No. 20*

This may certify that as Commissioner of the County aforesaid I have purchased from David Caldwell fifteen hundred lbs. of beef, thirty bushels of wheat and two hundred lbs. butter at the prices aportioned in Spanish Milled dollars; by resolution of Congress dated 25th February, 1780, amounting to in the _____ to one hundred fifty ____ half Spanish M ____ dollars: Wh___ sum is to be _____ at 6____ until paid agreeable to an _____ of the General Assembly in such cases made - By me this 6th day of October in the year 1780.

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15.5.-
74.5.0

/s/ David Wilson, C.C.

LAST WILL & TESTAMENT OF DAVID CALDWELL

In the name of God Amen, I David Caldwell of Mecklenburg County, in the State of North Carolina being very sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God.

Calling to mind the mortality of my body and that it is appointed for all men once to die. Do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

That is to say, principally & first of all I give and recommend my Soul into the Hand of Almighty God that gave it and my body I recommend to the Earth to be buryed in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my beloved wife Ann Caldwell and my sons John & William Caldwell and my son-in-law William Harris whom I constitute make and ordain the sole executors of this my last will and testament.

And touching such worldly estate herewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this life I give, demise & dispose of the same in the following manner and form -

First, I order all my just debts and funeral expenses to be honestly paid and discharged.

ITEM, I give and bequeath unto Ann Caldwell my beloved wife her bed and all my household furniture and two negroes Nightingale and Emmy and two cows and her horse and saddle.

ITEM, I give and bequeath to my son James Caldwell two hundred pounds current money of this State.

ITEM, I give and bequeath to my son John Caldwell two hundred pounds current money of this State.

ITEM, I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Greer Two hundred pounds current money of this State.

ITEM, I give and bequeath to my daughter Isabella Harris two hundred pounds current money o- this State.

ITEM, I give to my son William Caldwell the plantation that I now live on which I hold by deed from Arthur Dobbs and my Negro boy named Harry. I give to my son William Caldwell likewise and my beloved wife Ann Caldwell is to be maintained and what cattle she has and her horse by my son William Caldwell while she lives and the two negroes first mentioned and left to my beloved wife Ann Caldwell and all her household furniture is to be wholly at her disposal at her death.

ITEM, I give to my granddaughter Ann Harris my little Negro wench Sally.

ITEM, I give to my granddaughter Ann Caldwell the plantation that her father lived on which I hold by deed from Abner Nash if she lives to come of age otherwise if she dies before she comes to age I allow the plantation to be sold by my executors and divided among my children equally.

ITEM, I give to my grandson David White my bay yearling mare colt.

ITEM, I give to my grandson David Davis my sorrel yearling mare colt.

ITEM, I allow the rest of horses and my cattle and sheep to be sold next fall and my legacies paid and what remains of the money to be equally divided among my children.

If money depreciate much against the time of payment the Legacies is to be enlarged accordingly. And I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke and disannul all and every other former testaments, wills, legacies, bequeaths and Executors by me in any ways made or named before or willed and bequeathed ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal This thirteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty.

Signed Sealed Published

/s/DAVID CALDWELL

Pronounced
and declared by the said David Caldwell as his last will and testament in the presence of us who in the presence of him and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names.

Sam[1] *Temple*
James Morrison, Jr.
Jno. Carruth

All interlinings done before signing and sealing.

A TRUE RETURN OF THE ESTATE OF DAVID CALDWELL, DEC'D.

DTR.

James Ross by note	3000:00:0
William Caldwell by note	2500:00:0
John Harris by note	1100:00:0
George Campbel by note	652:00:0
James Burns by note	510:00:0
John Huggins by note	565:00:0
John Carruth by note	428:00:0
William Harris by note	200:00:0
John MacKay by note	142:19:4
Matthew Alexander by note	611:00:0
John MacKay by note	29:12:6
Thomas Marsh	610:00:0

James Ross by book (acompt ?) 300:00:0
the publick Dtr. in Specie_____ 39:_6:8

Certified by us

/s/ William Harris, Exetrs.

We or either of us promised to pay or cause to be paid unto the Executors of the Estate of David Caldwell Deceased the just and full sum of THREE THOUSAND POUNDS current money of the State of North Carolina at or upon the first day of October next ensuing the date of it being for value received as witnessed our hands this Twenty-ninth day of December A.D. 178_(0)

/s/ James Ross
/s/ James Carruth

After the death of David Caldwell, his widow Ann Harris Caldwell married her cousin Colonel Robert Harris.

A.1. JAMES CALDWELL (Son of David Caldwell
b. about 1738, d. about 1805, m. Elizabeth Harris.
Their children: B.1, B.2, B.3, B.4, B.5, B.6, B.7, B.8, B.9 B.10, B.11.

The eldest son of David Caldwell, James Caldwell was born about 1738, probably in County Donegal, Northern Ireland. In about 1758 he married Elizabeth Harris in Anson County, North Carolina.

We find records of James and Elizabeth Harris Caldwell buying and selling land in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina.

PAPER SUBMITTED TO DAR
BY MRS. MEMORY (ALDRIDGE) LESTER

I, Memory Aldridge Lester, submit the following documents which I have found in proof of Mrs. Johnnie Caldwell Files descent from JAMES CALDWELL, Sr. of Abbeville, S.C.

I have spent three months in intensive research and study of this Caldwell line and I believe this proof is correct and true in every respect. I have two Caldwell lines and I consented to try to establish this line largely because there are more incorrect lines on this family than most any I know.

I am not a professional genealogist, but I have been doing this sort of research and work for over forty years. I have achieved a pleasant reputation for honesty and accuracy. I have done many D.A.R. and other papers for love for people who had a name line the same as mine. None have ever been rejected, happily.

In the D.A.R. Library you have many of my books plus three that I contributed to heavily and for which the compiler gave me due credit. I have worked records from Maryland to Mississippi and in Tennessee and I am very familiar with the possibilities of research in these states. I went to South Carolina and spent time in the State Archives in October. I had the benefit of Mr. Hutson's vast knowledge of South Carolina early history and it is he who helped me pin down James Caldwell, Sr.

PROOF FOR JAMES CALDWELL SR.
ABBEVILLE, S. C.

1. For estimated birth of James Caldwell we submit his service in the N. C. State Militia, Anson and Mecklenburg counties, in 1756 and 1766. He is listed under "young men" in 1756. Local historians tell us that this meant that they were from 16 to 18 years old. From this we approximate James Caldwell's birth as about 1740 - could be earlier.

His wife, Elizabeth, we feel positive, was a Harris for the following reasons: James Caldwell in his will made in 1804 in Abbeville S.C. leaves to all his granddaughters who bear the name Elizabeth Harris. This course has been found to designate the maiden name of the wife. This custom I have found was almost universal with Scotch Presbyterians

The date of his marriage to Elizabeth is estimated as 1758 from the birth date of their oldest child, Ann born 27 Sept. 1759. This is from the William Lesley Bible. This record with James Caldwell's will show Ann to have been the oldest child. Ann died in 1800 (Lesley Bible) hence in James' will he leaves to her husband, Wm. Lesley. He also leaves to his grandson JAMES LESLEY. Allowing 2 years between births of children we have estimated the birth dates of the rest of the children, except in the case of William Harris (Caldwell). He was born in 1774 according to his tombstone in Talladega County, Alabama, which was copied by Mrs. Mary Lou Whelchel, Birmingham, Alabama, who is a direct descendant Certified statement enclosed.

Elizabeth Caldwell died prior to 1800 as there is no female in James' family in the 1800 census of Abbeville, Co., S.C. There are three (3) males and we can place them as William Harris, Ezekiel and Thomas. James is "over 45". The older children were all married then.

2. In 1762 James Caldwell had a land grant in Anson Co., N.C. from Governor Dobbs for 140 acres on the Back Creek of Rocky River.

In 1771 he and Elizabeth sold this land and both signed the deed of sale. This instrument is in Mecklenburg Co., N.C formed from Anson in 1762. Wives did not have to sign deeds in N.C. and their signatures are found, usually, only when the home place was being sold. This accounts for the rare signature of wives in N.C. If they are selling the home place it follows that they were leaving the state. (deed enclosed).

James and Elizabeth Caldwell next appear in Abbeville District, South Carolina, prior to 1775. George Howe in his HISTORY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN SOUTH CAROLINA (2 Vols.) says, "Rocky River Church was organized 1770-1772 and James Caldwell was a first elder. The church was built on or near his land. In 1785 he got another grant." Mrs. Files has records of these deeds. Enclosed. The deeds in Abbeville were lost in a fire so that the only land transactions that one can get are the state grants, called memorials. Plats of the land are in the Archives, Columbia, S.C. James Caldwell's will enclosed.

3. Proof for James Caldwell's Revolutionary War service. Enclosed are three (3) photostats showing service for him. From the signatures on the one signed by James, John and David Caldwell and the signature on James Caldwell's will, it is clear that this is one and the same man. I felt that a signature on James' will might show whether the name on this indent was for the same man. Mr. J.M. Hutson and Mr. Lee, heads of the S.C. Archives, looked at these with me and felt as I did that they were

for the same man. Photostat of will enclosed. I further asked Mr. Hutson to tell me where the various James Caldwells might have been in service, based on their commanding officers and the area in which they fought. In this way we isolated James Caldwell in Abbeville. Note the three (3) stub indents enclosed bear the number 225-K. Showing them to be for one man.

The indent signed by James, John and David giving John Luckie authority to receive their interest for Revolutionary War service indicates one family. In this case it would be James and sons John & David. They were certainly of the same family to sign a joint order. These indents were paid in Charleston and as it was a long, hard and expensive trip, it was customary for neighbors to ask anyone going to do errands for them. John Luckie was of Abbeville and his brother was J.P. for the county, hence his signature as a witness to the order- William Luckie.

4. JOHN CALDWELL JR. (?), son of James Caldwell, was born about 1761. (see note on Lesly Bible). He is named 2nd. in his father's will. John had an uncle JOHN who died in 1795 but had no son JOHN, at least none mentioned in his will. This isolates John in James' will. James leaves to "son John, etc....." He also leaves to James Caldwell son of John....." Since James was leaving to his children and grand children (named for himself and his wife Elizabeth) this John can only be his son who had a son James. He would hardly have left to James, the son of his brother John, when his own son John had a son James. He also leaves to Elizabeth Harris Caldwell. This is John's daughter Elizabeth Ann Harris, later Speer. Named for his mother Elizabeth and his grandmother (we feel sure) Ann Harris, wife of David Caldwell, with will in N. C. in 1781. See Harris ms. which is in a number of libraries. There is of course another Elizabeth Caldwell in the will, but I did not check her out as it was not pertinent to this line. Note that James mentions the grandchildren in the order of their parent's place in James' will. These old Scots were very punctilious. Thus John's daughter Elizabeth would be AFTER her brother, James Caldwell, who was named AFTER his cousin, James Lesly, whose mother was James' oldest child. This would certainly place John of will of 1812 as James second child.....

The Harrises, Speers, Carlisles, Bells, Wilsons, et al were as the Caldwells, from Mecklenburg Co., N.C. They were neighbors and members of the Rocky River Presbyterian Church in Abbeville Co., S.C.

The Caldwells and Harrises must have moved to N.C. together. There are many records with them intermarrying and witnessing each others wills, deeds, etc.

David Caldwell's wife, Ann Harris (see Harris ms.)...after his death she married her cousin Robert Harris & he died in Mecklenburg Co., N.C. I have accumulated a great deal of Caldwell data in this search that I hope soon to get to your library (DAR). A Mrs. Carroll of Dothan, Ala. recently went into the D.A.R. on John Caldwell of will 1795 in Abbeville and gave as his father Capt. John Caldwell of the migration to Pa. in 1727 and the founder of the Southside Va. colony in 1734. This is wholly incorrect. Not that it affects her descent from John and it was not necessary for her to add John's father. Everyone who has a Caldwell line insists on saying they are from this best known Caldwell, Capt. John. My ancestress was the sister of Capt. John and married Alex. Richey when they came over in the group that Capt. John brought to America.

CHAPEL HILL, N.C., 16 January 1965 */s/Memory A. Lester*

DEED BOOK 1, pgs. 666 & 667, Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, N.C.

This indent made 24th day of November 1762 between his Excellency Arthur Dobbs, Esq., Capt. and Commissioner in Chief of the Province of N.C. and James Caldwell in the county of Anson for 140 acres for 14 lbs. 15 shillings - situated and being in the county of Anson ---- Back Creek, a branch of Rocky River.

Signed, sealed, delivered in the presence of
James Harris, Robert Harris

SIGNED: Arthur Dobbs
by Wm. Colwell

Rec. 24th Nov. 1764 from the within named James Caldwell, 14 lbs., 15 shillings proclamation money---------

Wit: James Harris
Robert Harris

Registered Mecklenburg Co. Clerks record of probate of this deed is lost

Test: Wm. B. Alexander, C.S.

Signed - Arthur Dobbs
by Wm. Colwell

RECORDS OF DEEDS, Vol. 9, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, page 42

This indent made 2nd. day of Sept. 1771 between James Caldwell and wife, Elizabeth of the Province of N.C. of the one part and James Love & John McEachbrind of the county of Cumberland. --------140 acres, Back Creek of Rocky River.

Wit: James Harris
Robert Harris

Signed: James Caldwell
Elizabeth Caldwell by her mark

Robert Harris, C.C. Jan. term 1771 - Mecklenburg County, N.C.

In 1772 he moved to Abbeville District, South Carolina as evidenced by the fact that he was an Elder in the Rocky River Presbyterian Church near the river of that name. His wife was dead at the time of his will written in 1804.

The first records of James Caldwell in Abbeville District, South Carolina are a Memorial Tax and church records. All deeds were lost in a fire which destroyed the Abbeville County Courthouse in 1860.

MEMORIALS Vol. II, page 510, South Carolina Archives.

A memorial exhibited by James Caldwell to be regd. in the Audr. Office Pursuant to the act of Assembly in that Case made & provided of a plantati or tract of land containing 250 acres situated in Granville County of McGill's Creek between Savannah River and the N.W. Branch of Long Cane bounded at the time of the original grant on all sides on vacant land Originally granted to John Wood the 20th day Feb. 1760 2____3/St____or 4/po per 100 acres and conveyed by Elizabeth Wood executrix & Stephen Sasberry executor to the last will and testament of said John Wood decd. by lease and release bearing the date the 28 and 29th days of Oct. 1771 to James Caldwell the Mem.st. In witness whereof he hath hereunto set his hand the 19th. Nov. 1772.

/s/ James Caldwell

James Caldwell also signed the Memorial Book for Robert Garrett whose land, 100 acres, was situated in Granville County on Kerrs Creek bounded on the west by James Garrett & all other sides by vacant land. So many times neighbors paid for each other and took care of legal business for one another because of the long journey to Charlestowne.

PROOF OF REVOLUTIONARY WAR SERVICE FOR JAMES CALDWELL:

The following are reproduced from documents in the South Carolina Archives:

Account AA-989, Militia Duty 1779-1780 & 1781 James Caldwell

K-225, January 10, 1785.

Mr. James Caldwell his acc't Militia Duty performed in 1779, 1780 and 1781 and for duty in Col. Anderson's - one year, 6 weeks - on horse.

*136 days as Capt. 70/L476""" *
*60 days as Lieut. 45/-135""" *
*21 days as Private 2/21""" *

Duty per Col. Anderson's (20._._
Return
Currency L652""
Sterling L93:2:10

Ninety-three Pounds Two Shillings and Ten Pence Sterling

J. Mc._________Agt. (Looks like 2 monograms)

Received 10th Jan. 1785 from the Comms. of the Treasury
Ninety-three pounds 2/ 10 (?)
Sterling full satisfaction for the within on Indent No. 225 Book E.

L93-2.10 /s/ John Luckie

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State So. Carolina Due James Caldwell for Militia Duty performed as Capt., Lieut. & Private & pay bills of Capt. Joseph Calhoun and pay bills of his own____in 1779, 60 days on horse as Lieut.____ L135"""

In 1780 - 21 days on D as Private 20 21"_"_
in 80 and 81 - 136 days as Capt. on Horse 70/ --

Duty per Col. Anderson's return 20"_"
Currency 693:3:10

SC DEPARTMENT OF ARCHIVES & HISTORY
COMPTROLLER GEN. ACCTS. AUDITED
AA 989 Frames 551-66

NINETY SIX)
DISTRICT) SC Personally came James Caldwell Lieut. before me and made oath that in the late expedition on the 20th day of June last past in the Battle against the British Troops at Stono Ferry he give a large Duffel Blanket to carry off Col. Roberts of the Artilery when wounded and hath never since received said Blanket nor any restitution therefore---Sworn to the 27th day of July, AD 1779 before me

Pat. Calhoun JP /s/ James Caldwell

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STATE OF SO. CAROLINA
NINETY SIX DISTRICT Personally came Captain James Caldwell of said district before me and made oath that being out on a tour of duty in the service of this State under the command of Gen'l Pickens (then Col) in the month of March AD 1780 while in the service had stolen from him a certain black gelding then about eight years old-about 14 hands high, one of his hind feet white-Branded on his buttock ŦT and that he has never since ___so lost (?) got his gelding nor received any pay nor satisfaction for the same and that said gelding is his_____(?)just and___ _(?) property (?)____16th of July 1783.

Before me

/s/ James Caldwell

Pat. Calhoun JP

Personally came Arthur Patton, Patrick Norris, of said District, freeholders before me and being duly sworn as law directs to value & appraise the above described black gelding do value and appraise the same at sixty five pounds currency at the rate before depreciation. Sworn to & certified this 16th day of July 1783

Before me

/s/ Arthur Patton
Pat. Calhoun /s/ Patrick Norris

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NOTE: The signatures on these documents are identical with that of James Caldwell found on his last will and testament lending strong evidence that they are for one and the same man.

To the Public Treasurers of the State of South Carolina:

Gentlemen:
__________ to deliver to Mr. John Luckie the interest of_______
__________due us for our services____included in return made by
Colonel Robert______: as we have instructed him to receive name___
and in our____ a witness our hands this 9th day of_____1785.

/s/ James Caldwell
/s/ John Caldwell
/s/ David Caldwell

____is to certify that I did see the above order signed_________
____this_____day of____1785.

/s/ William (?) Luckie, J.P.

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THE LAST WILL & TESTAMENT OF JAMES CALDWELL (A.1.)

In the name of God Amen, I James Caldwell Senr. of South Carolina, Abbeville District, being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be to God for it and calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing it is appointed for all men to die do make and ordain this my last will and testament that is to say principally first of all, I give and recommend my soul into the hand of Almighty God that gave it, and my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors. And as touching such worldly estate wherewith it hath pleased God to bless me in this life with, I give, demise and dispose of the same in the following manner and form:

First, I give and bequeath to William Lesley, John Caldwell, David Caldwell, Rebecca Pickens, Elizabeth Wilson, Mary Davis and James Caldwell each of them one dollar apiece to be levied out of my estate.

2nd. I give to William Caldwell three hundred dollars beside the balance of the price of a Negro woman Jude that is coming to.

3rd. I give to Ezekiel Caldwell a tract of land containing 150 acres lying in the East side of Little River, it being part of a tract of land known as Bull Town, also one black horse, saddle and bridle, feather bed and furniture and one chest.

4th. I give to Thomas Caldwell 150 acres of land whereon I now live with all the buildings and a Negro boy, Jack. Likewise one gray horse mare named Cate, saddle, bridle, one feather bed and furniture and chest.

The rest of my property which is all personal I allow to be sold at vandue and money I allow to be divided after all my just debts are paid at the discretion of my Executors, amongst James Lesley, James Caldwell son of John Caldwell, James Caldwell son of David Caldwell,James Caldwell Pickens, James Wilson, James Davis, Elizabeth Harris Caldwell, Eliza Harris Caldwell. Except so much of it will buy as much calico as will make a shem___for Elizabeth Harris Kerr.

I appoint William Caldwell and James Caldwell my Executors of this my last will and testament and I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke and disannul all and every other former testament, wills and executors by me in any wise before named ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifthteenth day of Aprile in the year of our Lord one

I appoint William Caldwell and James Caldwell my Executors of this my last will and testament and I do hereby utterly disallow, revoke and disannul all and ever other former testaments, wills and executors by me in any wise before named ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fifth-teenth day of Aprile in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & four.

Witnesses:
John Cameron   /s/James Caldwell
John Harris
Martha Boles   (Box 19 Pack 415)

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COPY OF BILL OF SALE DATED JUNE 6, 1805
ESTATE OF JAMES CALDWELL

Ezekiel Caldwell	1	Negro girl named Rose	$52.00
Mathew Wilson	1	Lot of crockery ware	11.00
John Ellington	1	Lot of tin and printer	1.40
Ezekiel Caldwell		Knife box & knives & forks	.65
Wm. Davis, Rocky River	2	Candlesticks & tea kettle	2.87
Ezekiel Caldwell	2	Pickling pots & jug	1.10
Wm. Davis, Rocky River	1	Coffee mill	.75
William H. Caldwell	2	Spinning Wheels & cotton cards	3.80
Wm. Davis, Rocky River	1	Sieve	.25
Archibald Wocker (?)	1	Saddle	2.75
William H. Caldwell	1	Reel	.30
Thomas Caldwell	1	Box chest & flour barrel	2.00
John Caldwell		One lot of books	4.50
William Lafley (?)		ditto	1.50
Ezekiel Caldwell		ditto	1.50
Joseph Carlisle		ditto	1.50
Ezekiel Caldwell		ditto	1.00
Ezekiel Caldwell	1	Looking glass	1.50
William H. Caldwell	1	Pine chest	3.00
Gerald Davis	1	ditto	3.31
Ezekiel Caldwell	2	Sad Irons shovel & tongs	2.00
Thomas E. Caldwell	1	Pine table	1.00
Ezekiel Caldwell	1	Walnut table	2.00
D. O. McLesky	4	Chares	1.45
Polly Davis	1	Bedstead, bed & furniture	20.00
Wm. Davis, Little River		Lot of wool baskets & cards	1.30
Ezekiel Caldwell		Lot of barrels, cotton & hoe harrow	3.60
John McKinley	2	Plows	2.00
William H. Caldwell	2	Negroes, Will & Fillis	310.00
James Lesley	1	Negro girl named Affy	362.00
Thomas Word		one oven	3.00
Matthew Wilson		one large pot	1.26
Matthew Wilson		one small pot	1.00
Andrew Cowen		one small pot	.35
Mather Wilson		one wash tub	.35

Ezekiel Caldwell	2	Pot racks	4.50
Thomas Caldwell	3	Bees Caps	3.25
Joseph Carlisle	1	Wagon	70.00
Thomas Caldwell		One red cow and bull	11.00
Thomas Caldwell		ditto	9.00
James Vernon		one steer	3.00
Milton Paskel	1	Steer	2.52
Ezekiel Caldwell	1	Lot of hogs	16.00
Ezekiel Caldwell	1	Lot of bees	5.00
(not plain-looks like Jas. Caldwell)			75.00
Alex. Foster	1	Gray mare & colt	110.00
Amos Wolrel (?)	1	bag cotton	26.35
Warren Stricklin	1	Sugar cannister	2.75
Thomas Caldwell	1	pail and half bushel	.50
Alex. Harris	1	book	1.35
		(not plain)	1176.14

/s/ Alexander Foster, Clerk

HISTORY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN SOUTH CAROLINA
By George Howe, D.D.
Columbia - Duffie & Chapman - 1870

Vol. 1, pg. 439:

The Rev. John Harris who had been appointed...in 1769 to visit and supply the vacancies in Virginia and North and South Carolina but who appears not to have reached the upper settlements of South Carolina till November 1772, took the pastoral charge as stated supply of the congregations which were by this time known as Fort Boone, Bull Town and Long Canes...Bold, enthusiastic, and independent, he was peculiarly fitted for the stirring times in which he lived, and he labored as a true patriot to stamp his own principles of Republican liberty upon others. And it was his boast that every man in his congregations were Whigs...As early as 1773 he had formed a settlement in the "Flatwoods" on the waters of Mckinley's creek and Little River.

There thus arose in due time the five churches of (1) Upper Long Cane, two miles north of Abbeville Village; (2) Lower Long Cane, embracing the territory now included in Hopewell church and congregation; (3) Rocky Creek, now known as Rock Church a few miles from the village of Greenwood; (4) Bull Town, now Rocky River, in the western part of what is now Abbeville District; and again (5) Saluda, now Greenville.

Pg. 550: The elders in Upper Long Cane were, Andrew Pickens, Andrew Hamilton, John McCord, Hugh Reid & Edward Pharr, perhaps others. The elders in Greenville congregation are believed to have been George Reid, Hugh Wardlaw, James Dobbins, James Watts, James Seawright, Samuel Lofton, & perhaps John Lowry. (1785 Synod of the Carolinas).

Among names in these two congregations were those of Shain, Reid, Lesly, Bowie, Pickens, Campbell, Jones, Watts, Rosamond, Seawright, Wardlaw, etc., a considerable number of whom were settlers before the Indian Wars & the greater part actively sustained the American Independence.

Among those were General Pickens, Colonel Reid, Major Bowie, Major Hamilton with Captains Wardlaw, Rosamond, Watts, Jones, etc.

Pg. 554: Mr. Dickson names as the elders in Lower Long Cane or Hopewell congregation; Patrick Calhoun, William Hutton, Ebenezer Pettigrew & another by the name of Blain. The elders in the Rocky River congregation; Nathan Lusk, Samuel Porter, Hugh Mecklin (brother to the pastor & an active Whig in the time of the Revolution), and Baskin & Robert Allen. Mr. Speer also mentions Mr. Russell, William McKinley and JAMES CALDWELL as among the first elders. And the chief names in Mr. Mecklin's charge were those of Calhoun, Noble Davis, Baskin, Sweringen, Shanklin, Lawrence, etc. (Robert Mecklin was pastor).

Pg. 640: Petition to the Presbytery of S.C. by the congregation of Hopewell on Keowee River, & Carmel on Twenty-three Mile Creek, both of the county of Pendleton and State of South Carolina, for a pastor because of the death of Rev. Thomas Reese. (Rev. Reese died 1796).

/s/Robert Anderson
/s/Robert M'cann
/s/ John Willson
/s/ Robert Henderson
/s/ Andrew Pickens

VOLUME II:

Pg. 145 & 146: ROCKY RIVER CHURCH,...the early settlers of this congregation were foreigners but the largest portion at this time and earlier were from Virginia and Pennsylvania, to all of whom tradition gave honor of having taken an active part in the Revolutionary struggle. (Ms. by John Speer).

"The eldership had been increased since 1790 by the addition of JOHN CALDWELL, and at a later period of Ezekiel Calhoun, WILLIAM H. CALDWELL, and Robert Crosby. Mr. Calhoun to fill the vacancy made by the death of Mr. Allen; MR. CALDWELL to fill that of his father, and Mr. Crosby that ocassioned by the death of Mr. Baskin. This addition was made to the session about the year 1805....."

Monterry, S.C. Oct. 5, 1853 /s/ A. Giles

Pg. 310: The Presbytery of Harmony having proceeded in another instance to ordination sine titulo, ie., without a call from any or reference to any particular church, the Synod appointed Rev. James Walker, John M. Wilson and JOSEPH CALDWELL to bring in a report on the same.

Pg. 371: WAXHAW CHURCH, the last minister of this church mentioned by us was John Williamson. After him came W.S. Pharr...Mr. Pharr married Jane, daughter of Rev. Samuel Caldwell of Sugar Creek.

Pg. 388 & 389: "The battle of Long Canes was fought, said my informer not far from Cedar Springs (Seceder) Church. The British took General Pickens and Major Hamilton prisoners. When General Pickens was wearied with walking, his guard asked if he was tired. On his answering, 'yes' he replied, 'Run, then...fifthteen wagons of inhabitants, who had met together for mutual protection, were crossing the Saluda for corn, Peggy

Houston gave information to the Tories, who came upon the wagoners, burnt the wagons, carried the men across the Savannah and delivered them up to the Creek Indians, who tortured them, sticking them with pine splinters.

Matthew Thompson, feigning to be sick, was frequently taken out by the Indians. At length he was permitted to go by himself. He seized one of the fastest horses and escaped. He was pursued for two days, fed himself on the tendrils of the grape and green buds, and at length in a state of great exhaustion reached his home near Rocky River Church.

That same Peggy Houston fled to North Carolina and remained till after peace was declared and then returned. On her return, the ladies whose husbands and sons had been killed, met at her house, took her out of bed and whipped her nearly to death. She fainted twice. Among them were Mary White, whose son was murdered, Jane Hamilton and Rebecca Pickens.

Pg. 389: For the memory of ages goes back to the past, and the minds of all linger upon the heroic age in which our fathers fought and suffered...and amid these traditions the following also was rehearsed.

One was about Adam Files and his sons. His sons were out hunting horses, and met the Tories and Indians. One of the sons ran home and gave information. Mr. Files and his other sons concealed themselves in Wilson's Creek, a tributary of Rocky River. Mr. Carruthers was shot as he was ascending the bank of the creek. He was buried near the spot, but his bones were afterward removed.

The elder Adam Files was shot by the Tories and was taken out of the creek. He was carried across the Savannah, tortured and killed. His bones were afterward found and known by the peculiar formation of his teeth. These bones were afterward gathered and buried by his sons. One of his sons (Adam) was hidden in the waters at the same time with his father and escaped. Another escaped on foot. His house was the "lining" house on the outside of the settlement, ie. we suppose the house which marked its ideal boundary. Messrs. William Baskin and Hugh Baskin were also at the same house and ran.

Pg. 396 & 396: PROVIDENCE CHURCH is literally a branch of Rocky River Church, and originated in this wise, during the time that Reverend James Gamble was pastor of Rocky River, Presbytery ordered each minister to perform such missionary labour between that and the next meeting of the Presbytery in any field...In compliance with this order Mr. Gamble commenced preaching in this distant part of his congregation in private homes...he removed to Georgia in 1826.

After this meeting house was built...Reverend David Humphries... the reception of the church by the Presbytery at their October session in 1828. (See minutes, Vol. 2, page 179). At that time the Providence Church was received under the care of the Presbytery it had as its elders COL. WILLIAM H. CALDWELL, Robert Crosby and John Speers, Esqrs. and about 60 white members. In 1829 James H. Baskins was elected an elder...there were 94 whites and 27 colored members. (Ms. of J.H. Baskins, Clerk of Session, November 15, 1853).

NEW HARMONY CHURCH, another branch of Rocky River...under the care of Presbytery, March 27, 1830. Ministeral labors of the licentiates, Wm. Carlisle and Wm. H. Harris, up to the time of their union with Providence Church at Lowndesville...

Pg. 179, 2nd. Volume of the Minutes of the Presbytery of South Carolina.

"WILLIAM H. CALDWELL, elder, petitioned in behalf of a neighborhood lying between Rocky River and Good Hope Churches, that they should be recognized as a church and taken under the care of the Presbytery and they be known as PROVIDENCE CHURCH. Whereupon it was resolved that the prayer of the petition be granted and that the elders, Josiah Patterson, Andrew Giles and Hugh McLinn, be representatives in behalf of Rocky River Congregation to meet elders WM. CALDWELL, John Speer, and Robert Cosby in behalf of Providence congregation to determine on a boundary line between the said congregations.

Pg. 537: ROCKY RIVER (New Rock Church) Abbeville. In February 1838, William Calhoun, Rob't Crawford & JAMES CALDWELL were ordained ruling elders by Rev. Mr. Dickson.

Pg. 551: PROVIDENCE CHURCH, in 1836 MAJOR JOHN G. CALDWELL was elected an elder.

Pg. 755: PROVIDENCE CHURCH (Lowndesville), The Rev. Wm. Carlisle, Wm. H. Harris & James C. Cosby were from the bounds of this congregation. The elders in 1842 were; Robert Cosby, J.G. CALDWELL & James Baskin. The name A. Walker also appears about 1845...

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James Caldwell, A.1. served with his brother, John Caldwell, A.2., in militia companies under Captain Alexander Osburn in 1756 and in 1766 under Captain Adam Alexander.

REF: NORTH CAROLINA COLONIAL AND STATE RECORDS, Vol. 22, pp. 395, 396, 397 & 398.

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LIFE ON THE SOUTH CAROLINA FRONTIER

Ninety-Six District in Up-Country South Carolina in the early 1770's was barely removed from the wild, Indian infested region across the Savannah River. It was not until around 1761 that a treaty with the Creek and Cherokee Indians had made it possible for white settlers to emigrate into the area and even at this time there were ocassional murderous incursions by the savages, who left a trail of death and destruction throughout the red clay hills of northwestern South Carolina.

The majority of the settlers were subsistence farmers who came down the river valleys and Indian trails from North Carolina and Virginia in search of cheap land. In contrast to the wealthy planters of the tidewater region, they owned few if any slaves, scratching out a meager living from the rocky soil of the Piedmont. They were for the most part Scots-Irish Presbyterians from the northern counties of Ireland who had fled from religious and political oppression there.

Along with the Caldwells came the Pickens, Calhoun, Baskin, Allen, Moseley, Carlisle and McKinleys. From these staunch Presbyterians came the patriots of the American Revolution in the South, General Andrew Pickens, "The Fighting Elder", John Caldwell Calhoun, born in Abbeville District, who went on to play a major role in the affairs of his country as Secretary of War and Vice President.

James Caldwell moved into the region around 1771 and acquired land near Rocky River (see Memorial at A.1.). He attended and was an elder in Rocky River Presbyterian Church and is said to have given land for it to be built on.

From his will and the bill of sale of his estate, we can see that his family was a very self-sufficient unit. We know that he kept bees from the listing in the sale of bees caps and a quantity of bees. Honey from the hives provided the frontier family with a substitute for sugar, an expensive and scarce item in the up-country.

His estate (personal possessions) contained spinning wheels, wool and cotton cards, pickling barrels and other utinsels which contributed to the standard of living of he and his family. We see that there was a "still" for the making of whiskey. These old, staunch Presbyterians understood the value of "spirits" as a home remedy in an area where few if any medical doctors lived.

The regions settlers had little in common with the aristocratic planters and merchants of the tidewater and Charlestowne. The latter depended on trade with the mother country and was accustomed to the use of the luxuries brought to the colonies from England. When the English Parliament imposed the Townshend acts, taxing many of the items they used, it brought a great out-cry throughout the colonies, except for the subsistence farmers in the back country who purchased no paint, writing paper nor tea. Relying almost entirely on their own produce, they could have cared less about a tax on tea!

Differences between the two regions reached a bloody climax in the late 1760's when the up-country settlers took the law into their own hands to combat the lawlessness and brigandry rife throughout the area. The lack of courts and law enforcement resulted in widespread murder, robbery and pillage by roving bands of brigands. The dispute was finally settled by the establishment of courts and appointment of sheriffs in each of the districts in 1768.

When the threat of revolution reared its head, the majority of the frontiersmen actually were openly loyal to King George and felt no affinity for their aristocratic brothers in the tidewater.

Sentiment began to swing to the side of the revolution after the fall of Charlestowne and the influx of British Troops into the state, accompanied by the mounting number of outrages committed against the citizens by "Bloody" Banastre Tarleton and Tories (loyalists). Even so, for the duration of the war, there were just about as many loyalists as rebels in the state. Often, it came down to neighbor against neighbor and brother against brother in some of the bitterest fighting seen on the American Continent. The struggle resembled a civil war more than a concerted resistance against the Crown. Guerilla warfare raged over the hills and valleys of up-country South Carolina with bands of Tories murdering and plundering their Whig opponents. It is said that in the later stages of the war, there were over 1400 widows and orphans in Ninety-Six District after a particularly brutal rampage by "Bloody Bill" Cunningham, a rabid Tory sympathizer.

James Caldwell and his sons John and David answered the call of liberty and joined the militia in Ninety-Six District to combat the tide of Tory and British pillage. Records indicate (see stub indents at A.1.) that they served under Colonel Robert Anderson in a regiment commanded by General Andrew Pickens, the fighting elder. Anderson and Pickens fought at the battles of Ninety-Six, the Cowpens, Augusta and many other engagements against the British, Tories and Indians.

Unlike the Continental Army, the militia served principally as an auxiallary force or fire-brigade which answered the call to duty when needed to combat the enemy in a particular battle. After the battle was over, they usually returned home to tend their crops and protect their families and property from plundering Tories. Frequently, they refused to travel any great distance from their homes, fearing for their families in their absence. Basically untrained in the art of warfare, they were usually no match for the well drilled British Regulars with their gleaming bayonets and relentless charges on the field of battle. Therefore, it was customary to stiffen their resolve by interspersing them with regulars of the Continental Army who formed behind them in the line of battle and thus prevented their precipitous flight. None-the-less, they proved invaluable in defeating the British and fought braveley and efficiently when led by officers who understood their tendencies and abilities.

A. 2. JOHN CALDWELL (Son of David Caldwell)
b. about 1740, d. about 1795, m. Elizabeth Huggins
Their children: B.12, B.13, B.14, B.15, B.16, B.17, B.18, B.19.

The birthplace of JOHN CALDWELL is not known at this time (1984) but it is thought that he was born in Northern Ireland, probably near Raphoe in County Donegal.

DEED BOOK I, PAGE 151, MECKLENBURG COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA:

20th Oct. 1766, this indenture made between JOHN CALDWELL and Elizabeth his wife of Mecklenburg County, Province of North Carolina to John Morrison ...a tract of land containing 134 acres lying on the branch of CALDWELL's Creek...conveyed to s^{d}. JOHN CALDWELL by deed dated 25th June 1767 from Arthur Dobbs.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered
In the Presence of /s/ JOHN CALDWELL
Robert Harris /s/ ELIZABETH CALDWELL
William White

TEST. Wm. B. Alexander, C.R.

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DEED BOOK I, PAGE 667:

4th November 1762, This indenture made between Arthur Dobbs, Esqr. and JOHN CALDWELL of the County of Anson, Province of North Carolina...75 acres lying on Back Creek branch of Rocky River...

Signed, Sealed & Delivered
In the Presence of /s/ ARTHUR DOBBS
James Harris by
Robt. Harris Wm. Cowell

Rec^{d}. 24 November 1762...

WITNESSES: *Mecklenburg County* *TEST. W. B. Alexander*
James Harris *The Clerks record of the*
Robt. Harris *probate of this deed is lost.*

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DEED BOOK I, PAGE 669:

1 August 1763, This indenture made between JOHN CALDWELL and Elizabeth his wife of Mecklenburg County and Province of North Carolina and William Campble...75 acres lying on Back Creek....

Signed, Sealed & Delivered /s/ JOHN CALDWELL
In Presence of /s/ ELIZABETH CALDWELL
Robt. Harris, Jr.
Robt. Harris *TEST. Wm. B. Alexander, C.R.*

DEED BOOK 12, PAGE 401:

23 September 1784 JOHN CALDWELL of County of Mecklenburg in the State of North Carolina, farmer, & Elizabeth his wife...& William Edger and Adam his son...a parcel of land lying on the waters of Anderson's Creek a branch of Rocky River...

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ABBEVILLE COUNTY SOUTH CAROLINA, BOX 19, PACK 404: *PROBATE JUDGES OFF.*

WILL OF JOHN CALDWELL, SR.

I, John Caldwell of the State of South Carolina and County of Abbeville being in a sick and low condition of body but of sound judgement and perfect memory and calling to mind the mortality of my body do make, constitute and ordain this my last will and testament in form following that is to say first I desire that my body may be decently buryed at the discretion of my executors & my soul I committ to God who gave it nothing doubting that I shall receive it at the general resurrection and as to the worldly property with which God hax endowed me I give and bequeath as follows that is to say I give to my well beloved wife Elizabeth Caldwell my negro fellow Gill & likewise my negro woman Dob(?) to be to her use and at her command during her widowhood and if she continues my widow til her death the other negroes to be left by her to whom she pleases but in the case my widow marry the above negroes to be disposed of in the best manner to support of my youngest son and daughter Andrew and Jane Caldwell by hiring them to....till my youngest child is of age, then to be divided between my sons James and Andrew Caldwell and my daughter Jane Caldwell by the two of them taking said negroes and paying the third and equal proportion to their value.

Item, I give and bequeath to my oldest son William Caldwell the land purchased from George Huston together with fifty acres whereon he now lives, being in all one hundred and fifty acres.

Item, I give and bequeath to David Caldwell one hundred and fifty acres of the land bought of Black, the said land to be taken off the southwest side of the land bought of Jo. Black, the remainder of my lands I give to my sons James and Andrew Caldwell to be equally divided between them, allowing my wife her living off the last mentioned lands.

I give to my daughters Ann Kolb and Isabel Pickens ten shillings each.

Item, I give to my daughter Mary Black two cows. I allow my just debts to be paid by my executors and the rest of my personal property to be at the disposal of my widow for the use of the family. I make and ordain John Caldwell, Junior and Joseph Black executors. And if the above named wench, Dolle, be now with child I allow it to be the property of my daughter Isabel Pickens.

The above being my last will and witness my hand this 21st day of June, 1795.

WILLIAM LINTON /s/ *JOHN CALDWELL*
MATTHEW WILSON
WILLIAM CALDWELL

ABBEVILLE COUNTY, S.C. WILL BOOK NO. 1, PAGE 450, BOX 106:

WILL OF ELIZABETH CALDWELL
(Wife of John Caldwell A.2)

In the name of God, Amen, I Elizabeth Caldwell, widow of John Caldwell deceased lately of Abbeville District, South Carolina, being of sound mind do make this my last will and testament in form following; that is to say, I give, devise and bequeath to:

My well beloved son, James Caldwell, my negro fellow Gill, to him and his heirs, forever.

I give and bequeath to my son, Andrew Caldwell my negro boy named Gill to be to him and his heirs forever.

Likewise, I give to my daughter, Isabella Pickens, my little Negro girl named Wine, now in the possession of Joseph Hamilton in the State of Georgia to be to her and her heirs forever.

I give unto my beloved daughter Jane Hamilton, my Negro woman Doley to be to her and her heirs forever, provided that if the little Negro Wine should die before it comes to the age of twelve years, then it my will that the said Isabella Pickens should have the next child that my Negro woman Doley should have that may come to the age of twelve years.

My household property to be equally divided amongst all my children.

I hereby revoke and annul all former wills and writings touching the same negroes - and in particular a bill of sale made to Joseph Hamilton for my Negro Woman Doley and her increase, which bill of sale I gave to prevent her being taken to pay James Coley debt, for which I stock security, but for and in consideration of which bill of sale I never received any value and I make this will in conformity to the proven in the vented by the last will and testament of my deceased husband, JOHN CALDWELL and I make and ordain Joseph Black my executor of this my last will - March 2, 1808.

Signed, sealed and delivered as the last will of Elizabeth Caldwell in the presence of us -

Joseph Black */s/ ELIZABETH CALDWELL*
John B. Black

Recorded in will book No. 1, page 450, Box 106 2735
Proven 17th day of October 1816

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A. 3. MARY CALDWELL (Daughter of David Caldwell)
b. , d. m. 1st. John Davis, 2nd. Robert Greer
Their children (Davis), B.20, B.21, B.22, B.23, B.24, B.25 B.26.

Mary Caldwell married first John Davis who died in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina...will dated...1776.

She married second Robert Greer who died in Greene County, Georgia ...will dated 12th day of March 1801.

MECKLENBURG COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA, WILLS VOLUME C, PAGE 17:

ABSTRACT: Will of John Davis...1776:

Wife Mary to have plantation until son James comes of age 21, sons, David, John, Joseph & James.
daughters, Ann, Mary & Isabella.
To son, David, land bought from Isaac Sellers.

Executors: Wife, Mary Davis, Capt. James Harris, Reedy Creek.

Witnesses: Robert Harris, Jr., Wm. Harris, Robert Harris, Sr.

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GREENE COUNTY GEORGIA, WILL BOOK A & B, PAGES 301 &302:

Pursuant to an order of the Hon.r of the Court of Ordinary for the said county ordering & admitting the noncupitive will of Robert Greer, Sen.r dec'd to be proven & recorded - Viz - The noncupitive will of Robert Greer, Sen.r dec'd agreed to by the legatees underwritten.

Viz - That our mother & youngest sister Jane in common shall have all the household stuff of every description with this exception our sister Jane, by his first wife_____shall have his chest, small trunk, his pot & pot rack which he was possessed of at the time of marriage. Our mother & sister Jane as aforementioned shall have the horses & three cows, the cows to be of their choosing and of all the present stock also all the stock of hogs, the wheat growing on the grounds & all the corn, fodder & that is now on hand, also the house they live in with the other out houses on said premises until Christmas ensuing & no longer.

Also for this present season a cotton patch and that his wife and all his children the remainder shall share & share alike and also that Robert Greer, his son, shall be his executor of this his noncupitive will & no other.

Signed as follows this 12th day of March 1801.

/s/ Mary (X) Greer
Robert Greer
Moses Greer
Jane Grier, Sen.r

/s/ A. Greer
Elizabeth (X) Greer
Thomas Grier
Jane Grier, Jun.r

TEST. John Davis (son of Mary Caldwell Davis Greer by her first husband, John Davis)

And these are also to declare that I, Mary Grier, wife of Robert Grier dec'd do for myself freely & full acknowledge, own and accept the noncupitive will of my deceased husband and do hereby renounce all other dower or doweries within law as equity of every description whatever and that I do sign this freely & voluntarily of my own free will & choice this 12th day of March 1801.

/s/ Mary (X) Greer

TEST: John Davis

RECORDED: the 25th July 1801 /s/ Thos. Carleton, C.C.O.

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A. 4. ISABELLA CALDWELL (Daughter of David Caldwell)
b. ,d. ,m. William Harris
Their children: B.27, B.28, B.29. B.30, B.31.

We know from David Caldwell's will (Mecklenburg County, 1781) that William Harris and Isabella Caldwell had a daughter named Ann Harris. The data on the other children is from THE HARRIS FAMILY, by Isaac Harris. He states that they went to Georgia to live.

MECKLENBURG COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA, DEED BOOK 13, PAGE 722:

This indenture made the tenth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & eighty nine between William Harris & Isabel his wife of the County of Mecklenburg & State of North Carolina of the one part & Samuel Harris of the County & State aforesaid..... tow hundred & fifty six pounds...a parcel of land...William Cochran's corner...on the north side of Back Creek...containing 234 acres of land being a division of a tract containing 550 acres...William Harris to him by a Patent bearing the date Nov. 2, 1784...

Signed, Sealed & Delivered */s/ William Harris*
In the Presence of *Isabel (X) Harris*
John Cochran
Samuel Harris, Junr. *Proved in Jany Session 1790*

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MECKLENBURG COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA, DEED BOOK 13, PAGE 922:

10 October 1789, William Harris & Isabella his wife of Mecklenburg Co., N.C. to William Cochran...south side of Back Creek...corner Robert Harris...corner Robert Harris...corner William Cochran...316 acres part of a tract of 550 acres by patent to William Harris bearing date Nov. 2, 1784.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered */s/ William Harris*
In the Presence of *Isabel (X) Harris*
Robert Harris, Jr.
Robert Cochran

A. 5. WILLIAM CALDWELL (Son of David Caldwell)
b. , d. , m. Ruth_____.
Their children: Unknown.

Nothing is known about William Caldwell by the compilers at this time (1984) except that he was left the land his father, David, held by deed from Arthur Dobbs.

MECKLENBURG COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA, DEED BOOK 13, PAGE 542:

This indenture made this 23rd. day of October 1786 between Wm. Caldwell on the one hand & Thos. Marsh of the other part both of the State of North Carolina & County of Mecklenburg. Witness that the said Wm. Caldwell & his wife for the consideration of_____one hundred & forty four pounds...that David Caldwell gave his son, Wm. Caldwell...144 acres...

Witnessed, Sealed & Delivered
In the Presence of */s/ Wm. Caldwell*
__mes Maxwell *Ruth (X) Caldwell*
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A. 6. DAVID CALDWELL (Son of David Caldwell)
b. , d. before 1781, m.
His children: B.32.

Nothing is known about David Caldwell, Jr. by the compilers at this time (1984) except that his daughter, Ann Caldwell, was left a plantation on which her father lived by her grandfather, David Caldwell, in 1781.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, MECKLENBURG COUNTY:

We, William Harris and George Alexander of the County of Mecklenburg both acknowledge_____indebted to Robert Harris, ___Alexander and Jno. Mck^{t} Alexander, Esquire Justice of the County Court..... one hundred & fifty pounds to be paid to the said justices..... for the benefit of ANN CALDWELL - minor of David Caldwell, Junr deceased. But to be void on condition that William Harris...who is appointed guardian of ANN CALDWELL - afores'd..._oth will and faithfully render a just account of his guardianship and shall duly pay or cause to be paid to said orphan when she arrives at full age...

27 day of Sep^{t} 1786 */s/ Wm Harris*
Geo. Alexander

Signed, Sealed & Delivered
In the Presence of

/s/ Sam Martin

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A. 7. _____CALDWELL (Daughter of David Caldwell)
b. , d. , m. _____White-
Their children: B.33.

Nothing is known about this daughter except that she had a son named David White who was left a colt by his grandfather, David Caldwell in 1781.

It is believed that David White married his first cousin, Ann Caldwell, daughter of David Caldwell, Jr. (A.6.). The plantation David Caldwell left his granddaughter, Ann Caldwell, is found sold to Laird McMurry in 1801 by David White & wife, Ann.

So far no deed from any of the executors of David Caldwell's will can be found fo it is assumed that Ann Caldwell took possession of the plantation when she married David White.

CABARRUS COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA, REGISTER OF DEEDS, BOOK 4, PAGE 82-3:

This indenture made this 15th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & one between David White & Ann his wife of the Western Territory of the one part and Laird McMurry of the State of North Carolina and County of Cabarrus of the other part. Witness that for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred and seventy dollars... convey and confirm unto said Laird McMurry his heir and assigns forever all that tract of land lying on the waters of Caldwell's Creek.... containing by survey one hundred and four acres...

Signed, Sealed & Delivered
In the Presence of us */s/ D. White*
/s/ William Robb Jurt *Ann (X) White*
John Wiley

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA)
CABARRUS COUNTY) *July Session 1801*

It is hereby certified that the within deed was duly proven in open court by the oath of William Robb recorded and ordered to be registered.

TEST: /s/ John Simianer, C.C.

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B. 1. ANN CALDWELL (Daughter of James Caldwell, A.1.)
b. 27 September 1759, Anson County, North Carolina
d. 22 July 1800, m. 9 April 1778, William Lesley,
b. 10 November 1754, d. 30 December 1821, will in Abbeville District, South Carolina.
Their Children: C.1, C.2, C.3, C.4, C.5, C.6, C.7, C.8, C.9, C.10, C.11.

ABBEVILLE COUNTY SOUTH CAROLINA WILL BOOK II, PAGES 90-91:

ABSTRACT:

To William Lesley...granddaughter, Frances Caroline Lesly... sons, John H,, Robert Hall, William...
To Rev. Robert Wilson...daughter, Ann, daughter-in-law, Polly Lesly.
To Upper Long Cane Society-$50.00....
Three youngest sons, Thomas, David, Samuel...
Executors: Robert H. Lesly, Rev. William H. Barr, Samuel Watt, Robert Wilson, Patrick Noble, Esq., Alexander Bower, Esq., William H. Caldwell.
Witnesses: R. Cunningham, Thomas Lesly, Ann Lesly...
Will dated - 26 September 1817
Proven - 24 January 1822.

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B. 2. JOHN CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell, A.1.)
b. about 1761, probably Anson County, North Carolina,
d. about 1816 (will dated 15 April 1812, proven 27 May 1816), m. Elizabeth Thompson, daughter of Matthew Thompson and his second wife Rachel Allen. Elizabeth Caldwell died in 1839, Abbeville District, South Carolina.
Their Children: C.12, C.13, C.14, C.15, C.16, C.17, C.18.

John Caldwell came to Abbeville District, South Carolina around 1770-1771 with his father, James Caldwell (A.1.)

He served in the militia from Ninety-Six District with his father, A.1., and his brother David under the command of Colonel Robert Anderson and General Andrew Pickens. For proof of his service see the South Carolina Stub Indents under James Caldwell, A.1.

John Caldwell attended and was an Elder in the Rocky River Presbyterian Church, succeeding his father in that position. He is mentioned in *THE HISTORY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN SOUTH CAROLINA, by Howe.*

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF JOHN CALDWELL (B.2.)

In the name of God Amen, I John Caldwell of the District of Abbeville and State of South Carolina being advanced in life and in perfect health and of sound mind and memory calling to mind the mortality of my body do make and ordain this my last will and testament, that is to say, principally and first of all I recommend my soul to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my Executors.

And as to what worldly estate it has pleased God to bless me with in this life I dispose of it in the following manner -

FIRST, I order that all my just debts be paid out of the money that is due me and by the sale of as much of my property that can best be spared at the discretion of my Executors.

SECONDLY, I leave to my dearly beloved wife, Elizabeth Caldwell the use of all my plantation whereon I now live until my son John comes of age and after he comes of age I give to her all from the mouth of the branch in the field on the river in a line with the ditch that comes from the hills downward until the lower line including the house and all the improvements - I also leave to my dearly beloved wife the use of all my stock of every kind except Thompson's horse - with all my farming utensils, my wagon and still if it be not necessary to sell them to pay my debts.

I also leave to my dear wife all the Negroes that I am or may be possessed of at my death for her use as long as she lives or continues my widow, allowing my three younger children to be raised well schooled out of the product of my plantation and if my wife should marry, her claim to the plantation and all the Negroes will cease except my two Negroe women Dina and Patty which I allow her to have during her life and at her death them and their issue to be equally divided among all my children together with all other of my Negroes and if my wife should marry I allow her one third of all my moveable property after my just debts are paid except the Negroes which I allow to be kept on the plantation until my daughter Sally Cummings marriage.

I also leave to my dear wife all my books to distribute among my children as she may think proper or keep them as long as she lives, and at her death to be sold and equally divided among my children.

THIRD, I leave to my son James my Smith tools in addition to what he has already got, reserving the use of them to my dear wife for as long as she may think proper to keep them.

FOURTH, I leave to my son Matthew his horse and saddle and watch with the two tracts of land that I have purchased for him in Rocky River known as Bonds Tract and Birt Tract and one bed and furniture and two cows and calves and wearing apparel.

FIFTH, to my daughter Ann Speer I leave fifty dollars in addition to what she has got and to my daughter Jane Jones I leave fifty dollars in addition to what she has got and to my sons John Caldwell and William H. Caldwell I leave my plantation on which I live to be equally divided between them, allowing John to have the upper half from the ditch leading from the hills to the river to be the dividing line and from the ditch to the mouth of the branch on the river.

I also allow them to have a good horse and saddle and a good bed and furniture with cows, two calves apiece and good wearing apparel and to my son John I leave my watch and to my daughter Sally I leave one good bed and furniture, two cows and calves, one good horse, saddle and bridle and three hundred and fifty dollars in money and at my wife's death if she should continue my widow until that time, I allow all my Negroes and all my other moveable property to be sold and equally divided among all my children giving my wife the privilege of assisting any of my children with anything that she can spare if they are in real need of the same and I do constitute and appoint my two sons James & Matthew whole and sole Executors of this my last will & testament and revoke and disannul all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made and I confirm this my last will and testament, Given under my hand and seal the fifthteenth day

of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve and the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America the thirty-sixth.

TEST:
Isaac Beckwith
Peter Robinson
Geo. W. Liddle

JOHN CALDWELL (SEAL)

SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT) ORDINARIES OFFICE

Personally appeared George W. Liddle who being duly sworn sayeth that he saw JOHN CALDWELL Esqr. dec'd. sign, seal & declare the above & foregoing instrument of writing to be & contain his true last will & Testament. That the said testator was then of sound & disposing mind, memory & understanding to the best of his knowledge & belief & that Isaac Beckwith & Peter Robinson together with this deponent subscribed their names as witnesses thereto at the request of the Testator in his presence & in the presence of each other...

Before me this 27th
Day of May 1812 /s/ Geo. W. Liddle
___Livingston, O.A.D.

ABBEVILLE DISTRICT SOUTH CAROLINA, BOX 16, PACK. 335:

Money received by the Executors of John Caldwell Dec'd. for the Year:

1816 August	Rec'd of William Jones	$19.00
	" " William Black	76.00
	" " Peter Bogens	7.00
	" " Nathaniel C___	1.00
	" " Andrew Gailey	15.00
1817	Rec'd of John H. Henly	3.50
	" " John Cohenn	5.00
	" " Samuel Cummins	5.25
	" " Isaac Bowen	14.00
1818	Rec'd of Robert Maze	10.00
	" " E.M. Harris	5.00
	" " Andrew Gailey	6.00
1819	Rec'd of W.B. Beckley (?)	6.50
	" " Peggy	10.00

SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT)ORDINARIES OFFICE

Personally appeared Mathew T. Caldwell & James Caldwell Exors. of the last will and testament of JOHN CALDWELL dec'd, who being duly

sworn___& saith that the above_____of receipt & expenditures is just & true as therein stated.

Before me this 17th Mar. 1819
/s/ Moses Taggert, O.A.D.

/s/ M.T. Caldwell
James Caldwell

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1816 MONEY PAID___THE ESTATE OF JOHN CALDWELL, DEC'D.

May 27th	Paid to	David Wardlaw	
	" "	the Sheriff on a Judgement For Andrew Mac___id	$124.00
	" "	Jacob Sansimon	5.08
July 26th	Paid to	John Speer	50.00
	" "	John B. Smith	1.12½

1817

Oct. 21st	Paid to	Cornelious B. Williams	$67.00
Dec. 10th	Paid to	John C. Oliver	5.00
	Paid to	Philimore Buford	1.62
Apr. 10th	Paid to	Doctor Gebert	26.50
Aug. 12th	Paid to	James Gamble	10.00
Mar. 4th	Paid to	Mary	121.00
Apr.	" "	"	100.00
	" "	John Speer	10.00
	" "	A. Giles	11.00
	" "	Stephen Jones	78.50
Aug. 21st.	Paid to	Josiah Patterson	15.00
Jan. 25th	" "	Thos. Ga___	500.00

1818

Feb. 2nd	Paid to	William Lemaster	65.00
	Paid	David Wardlaw for Benton	20.00
	" "	James G_____	10.00
	" "	Nat_. Allen	40.80
	" "	_____Scott	4.50

1819

Mar. 17th	Paid to	Benjamin Glover	16.00
			$1354.10

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MONEY RECEIVED OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN CALDWELL DEC'D BY JAMES & M.T. CALDWELL EXECUTORS FOR THE YEARS 1819 and 1820:

February 24th 1819	Rec'd of Mordici Shackleford part of the price of a negro man	$300.00

	Rec'd of Robert Maze by the hand of James Murray Executor of the Estate of Nathaniel Lifford	30.00
April 20th 1819	Rec'd of James Woods	50.00
April 18th 1820	Rec'd of Mordici Shackleford	100.00
	Rec'd of Mordici Shackleford	100.00
	Rec'd of John Boles	10.50
Dec. 27 1820	Rec'd of Lindsay Harper Administrator of Henry Harper, dec'd	10.00

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Paid to E.B.____for a negro boy by the name of Nelson for the Estate $400.00

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ABBEVILLE DISTRICT)
ORDINARY OFFICE) Personally appeared James Caldwell Executor of the Estate of JOHN CALDWELL Dec'd who being duly sworn ____that the above stated return of the receipts & expenditures of the said are just and true_____

Sworn to before me this
___Aug. 1821 /s/ James Caldwell
/s/ Moses Taggert, O.A.D.

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SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT) BY MOSES TAGGERT ESQ. ORDINARY

These are to authorize you, or any three or four of you whose names are herein written, to repair to all such parts and places within this State as you shall be directed unto by JAMES CALDWELL EXECUTOR of all and singular the goods, rights and credits of JOHN CALDWELL late of the Said District deceased, wheresoever any of the goods and cha-tels of the said deceased are, or do remain within the said parts and places, and which shall be shown unto you by the said Executor and there view and appraise all and every the said Goods and Chattels, being first sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, to make a true and perfect inventory and appraisement thereof, and to cause the same to be returned under your hands or any three or four of you, to the said Executor on or before the SECOND day of JANUARY now next ensuing.

DATED, the SECOND day of DECEMBER Anno Domini 1839 and in the SIXTY-FOURTH year of American Independence.

TO W^{M} SPEER, JOHN MOSELEY, JAMES HARRIS, ESQ., BART. TUCKER, LINDSAY HARPER OR ANY THREE OR FOUR OF THESE.
OR any three or four of them
ORDINARY'S OFFICE
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MEMORANDUM: This THIRTY-FIRST day of DECEMBER 1839 personally appeared before me JOSIAH PATTERSON Esquire, one of the Justices assigned to keep the peace in Abbeville District, JOHN MOSELEY, BARTHOLOMEW TUCKER and LINDSAY HARPER & WILLIAM SPEER being the appraisers appointed to appraise the Goods and Chattels of JOHN CALDWELL deceased; who being duly sworn made oath that they would make a just and true appraisement of all_____ ____only excepted of JOHN CALDWELL deceased, as shall be produced by the EXECUTOR of the Estate of the said JOHN CALDWELL deceased and that they would return the same, certified under their hands, unto said EXECUTOR within the time prescribed by law.

/s/ JOSIAH PATTERSON

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A SALE BILL OF THE PERSONAL ESTATE OF JOHN CALDWELL, DEC'D, JAN. 2, 1840
Abbeville County, S.C. BOX 16, PACK 335.

Wm. H. Caldwell	One lot of plows	1.56½
Wm. A. Speer	" " "	1.93 3/4
J. G. Caldwell	" " "	1.90 3/4
J. M. Moseley	" " Iron	3.62½
James E. Calhoun	" " Hoes	.25
Archibald Scott	" " Axes, etc.	.89½
Wm. H. Caldwell	One frow and Hand Axe	1.25
J. G. Caldwell	Two Axes	2.75
J. G. Caldwell	One lot Barshears (?)	.37½
J. E. Calhoun	" " Jack Plows	1.06¼
James Caldwell	" " Harrow	1.75
J. Caldwell	" " Log Chane	1.00
Wm. H. Caldwell	" " Grindstone	2.50
J. E. Calhoun	Two Iron Wedges	.75
J. M. Calhoun	One Horse Gear and Collar	1.31¼
Wm. A. Speer	" " " " Bridle	3.50
J. E. Calhoun	One Bridle	1.43 3/4
Wm. Clarke	One Footege Auger & Drawknife	1.18 3/4
Wm. H. Caldwell	One Cross-Cut Saw	.25
James Caldwell	One large Auger	.75
Nathaniel Norwood	One Sythe and Cradle	2.25
Wm. H. Caldwell	One " " "	.81¼
Wm. H. Harris	One Ox Cart	18.50
Wm. H. Harris	One Yoke Work Steers	39.00
J. E. Calhoun	One Cow and Calf	5.37½
A. Sutherland	One " " "	7.57
Thomas Anderson	One " " "	7.06¼
A. Oliver	One Dun Cow	9.00
James Caldwell	One Black Cow	6.00

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Robert Hutcheson	One Read Heifer	6.04¼
Elisha Hendrix	One Black Steer	6.00
J. M. Moseley	Two Brown Hefer, 1 Choice	4.25
J. M. Moseley	Two Brown Hefer	3.80
W. R. Sanders	One Walnut Table	1.50
J. E. Calhoun	One Bay Horse, Jim Crack	41.00
A. Sutherland	One Lot Corn, 25 bushels	17.18¼
E. Hendrix	One " " , 60 "	15.00
E. Hendrix	One " " , 62 "	15.75
John Crenshaw (?)	One " " , 60 "	15.00
A. Sutherland	One " " , 62½ "	15.62½
E. Hendrix	One " " , 63 "	15.75
A. Scott	One " " , 64 "	14.57
J. Caldwell	One Lot refused corn 21	8.34¼
E. Hendrix	One Lot fodder, 500 - 62	3.12½
A. Scott	One Lot " " 60	3.00
A. Scott	One " " " 60	3.00
J. Caldwell	One " " " ?	3.00
Wm. Bell	One " " " 40½	3.02¼
Wm. H. Harris	One " " " 60½	3.02½
Thos. Anderson	One " " More or less 60	6.00
Wm. Caldwell	One " Oats - 500 - 47¢	2.68½
James Caldwell	One " " " 35	1.75
A. Scott	One " " " 48	2.68½
A. Scott	One Pen of Shucks & Straw	7.50
Wm. H. Caldwell	4 first choice sheep	8.25
A. Scott	5 Second Choice	6.50
A. Oliver	5 last lot	3.50
J. Caldwell	One sow and pigs	6.12½
__Sweringen	4 first choice shoats	9.31½
__Sweringen	5 second choice	9.00
A. Scott	15 head geese 49 3/4	7.46
J. Caldwell	4 Choice bacon hogs 5.62	63.45
A. Prather	4 second choice 5.75	56.02½
E. Hendrix	2 third choice 5.67	21.65
S. Y. Caldwell	3 last choice 5.40	23.72
A. Oliver	2 open sows 3.40	9.58
J. Caldwell	4 first choice shoats 3.75	19.80
J. Caldwell	5 balance 3.31	18.07
M. Crenshaw	One lot of wheat, ten bu. in lot	10.00
B. Staluiker (?)	" " " "	9.95
James Caldwell	" " " " 1.00	10.00
E. B. Mosly	" " " " .99	9.90
Wm. H. Caldwell	" " " " 1.00	10.00
James Caldwell	Balance of wheat 16 bushels	14.56
E. Hendrix	Two Hogsheds	1.25
E. Hendrix	Three "	1.12½
Tho. Hendrix	" "	1.90
Jam. Caldwell	One long trough	1.00
Tarlton Moseley	One large jug	.75
Wm. H. Caldwell	One three gallon jar	1.50
T. Anderson	One large spinning wheel	1.06¼
Wm. Speer, Esq.	One " " "	1.75

N. Norwood (?)	Two large spinning wheels	2.25
J. Patterson	2 smoothing irons Paid	1.56¼
E. Moseley	One bushel measure	1.81¼
J. G. Caldwell	4 Meal bags	.62½
E. Hendrix	One pare of shillears (?)	1.75
E. Hendrix	One " " "	.25
J. G. Caldwell	Basket of sundries	.56
S. Y. Caldwell	One barrell and_____(?)	.50
R. Hutchison	Flax Wheel & Swifts	.87
J. G. Caldwell	One Hackle (?)	.25
Wm. Speer	__(?) bells and frame	.62
J. E. Calhoun	2 Hamers	.31¼
J. G. Caldwell	Box Basket and Barrell	.25
N. Norwood	Lot of small barrells	.51
B. Salniler (?)	Loom and tackline	2.43
B. Stalniker (?)	Spools and shuttles	1.93
B. Stalniker (?)	Loom Harness etc.	1.51
Thos. Anderson	One large pot	2.25
J. Caldwell	One " "	1.68
E. Hendrix	2 pots and waffel Irons	1.62½
E. Hendrix	2 pales	1.12½
J. Caldwell	2 "	1.00
J. E. Calhoun	One pot and oven	1.81
Wm. H. Caldwell	2 Ovens and skillet	.25
J. E. Calhoun	One pot	.87½
Jas. Caldwell	2 ___(?) ____ (?)	1.50
R. B. Caler (?)	One pot rack	1.75
J. M. Moseley	" " "	1.62½
J. G. Caldwell	LARGE FAMILY BIBLE	1.25
J. Caldwell	Scott's Comments	8.00
J. Caldwell	Beveridge Sermons	2.00
J. G. Caldwell	Hervey Works	1.25
W. R. Sanders	Larg(e) Geography	1.25
J. G. Caldwell	Johnson Dictionary	2.00
Jas. Caldwell	Weatherspoon's Works	2.25
J. G. Caldwell	Buck's Dictionary	1.00
Wm. H. Caldwell	Buck's Anecdotes	.62½
Jas. Caldwell	Beauties of the Ex_____ji____(?)	.81½
W. H. Harris	Faber On the Prophesies	1.50
J. G. Caldwell	One Gazeteer	.31½
J. G. Caldwell	One lot of books	1.31
J. G. Caldwell	One shot gun	8.50
Wm. H. Caldwell	One folding table	7.00
L. Harper	Two half rounds	8.00
Bartlett Tucker	One cherry slab	12.00
Wm. Clark	One clock	6.50
J. Caldwell	Two large pitchers	.75
James Caldwell	Wash bole and picher	.25
Wm. H. Caldwell	One lot of crockery	1.50
T. Anderson	" " " glass	1.95½
James Caldwell	" " " boles	.25
R. B. Cotter	One cubboart	8.56½
A. Oliver	Two puter basons	1.43½

J. Speer	Six Puter Plates	.75
J. Caldwell	2 large dishes	.93 3/4
E. Hendrix	2 waiyers and dish	.40½
A. Scott	One set of plats	.50
Wm. R. Sanders	One walnut table	.50
L. Harper	36 lbs tallow	5.04
Wm. H. Caldwell	Pale and water stand	.63½
W. B. Shackleford	One walnut table .75 paid	.75
Wm. H. Caldwell	3 gal. jar	.71
Jas. Caldwell	2 gal. jar and jug	.31¼
J. G. Caldwell	2 gal. jugs	.50
S. Y. Caldwell	2 2 gal. jugs	.50
R. Norwood	Kitchen cubbard	2.00
T. Moseley	4 black bottles paid	5.00
T. Moseley	One candle stand	1.06
J. E. Calhoun	One feather bead & furniture	17.50
Thomas Deal	One bead stead & furniture	22.50
N. Norwood	Desk and book case	.81½
B. Allen	One small trunk	1.25
Thos. Anderson	1 pare wool cards	.30
Wm. H. Caldwell	2 pare cotton cards	.38
J. E. Calhoun	8 chears	3.62
J. Caldwell	Bedsted & furniture	31.00
Wm. Sawyers	Carding machine	3.00
Jas. Caldwell	One Neagrow man, Jack	550.00
James Caldwell	One Neagrow man, Nelson	810.00
Alex. Oliver	" " " , Miles	1128.00
W. R. Sanders	" Neagrow woman, Mary & child Ann	695.00
		$4148.83

I do hereby certify that the above is a true sale bill of the tate of JOHN CALDWELL, Dec'd. Jan. 3. 1840.

Returned 20 Jan. 1840, Recorded 5 Feb. 1840, Recorded book 11. Examined - Moses Taggert.

Sold the 1st. Jan. 1840 at the sale of the estate of JOHN CALDWELL Dec'd one hundred and thirteen and one fourth acres of land to WILLIAM H. CALDWELL and JOHN G. CALDWELL $28.78 cents per acre on a credit of one and two years. $3262.16. One note on JOHN G. CALDWELL due the Estate 98.00

1841 To cash rec'd of the Estate of JOHN CALDWELL Dec'd.

	Rec'd of	Nathaniel Norwood	9.81½
	" "	S. Y. Caldwell	24.17
	" "	E. B. Mosley	10.71
Feb. 1	" "	Thomas Anderson	17.91
6	" "	Archibald Scott	19.00
11	" "	William H. Harris	20.00
	" "	John M. Moseley	15.20

Mar. 22	Rec'd of	Thomas Deal	23.00
Apr. 5	" "	Lindsay Harper	10.56¼
22	" "	A. Swearingen	10.00
27	" "	William Clark	9.68
	" "	James E. Calhoun	20.00
	" "	W. R. Sanders	60.00
May 1	" "	James E. Calhoun	50.00
15	" "	William H. Caldwell	42.23
20	" "	William H. Caldwell	811.12½
30	" "	Amos Prater	15.00
25	" "	Alexander Oliver	110.00
	" "	William H. Caldwell	312.77
31	" "	William H. Caldwell	80.43
	" "	John G. Caldwell	40.60
	" "	John G. Caldwell	98.00
Dec. 16	" "	James E. Caldwell	17.33
	" "	Bartlett Tucker	10.00
	" "	Isaack Carlile on M. Cranshaw note	10.70
	" "	Alexander Oliver	811.12

1840 ACCOUNT OF THE MONEY PAID OUT OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN CALDWELL DEC'D TO LEGATEES

Jan. 1	Paid	Josiah Patterson for qualifying the appraisers -	1.00
20	"	Moses Taggart ordinary	2.35
Mar. 6	"	John Speer for surveying land	5.00
	"	Asey Bowen for crying the sale	5.00

1841

Aug. 21	"	Stephen Jones one of the legatees	250.00
	"	James S. Long Admin. of M.T. Caldwell	250.00
May 20	"	William H. Caldwell	811.12½
	"	John G. Caldwell	474.10
	"	Alexander Oliver	811.12½

SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DIST.) Personally came Jas. Caldwell Exor. of JOHN CALDWELL dec'd made oath that the foregoing return is just & true.

Sworn before me
8 Feby 1842

/s/ JAMES CALDWELL

/s/ DAVID LESLY, O.A.D.

THE JOHN CALDWELL HOUSE AND TOMBYARD NEAR LOWNDESVILLE, ABBEVILLE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA

On a ridge in the red clay hills of western Abbeville County, South Carolina stands the weather beaten log house occupied by John Caldwell, his wife Elizabeth Thompson Caldwell and their seven children and until sold at a Sheriff's sale in 1866 it was the home of their son William Harris Caldwell and his wife, Elizabeth Moseley, and their children.

It is thought that the house was built sometime between 1780 and 1790 either by John Caldwell or a previous owner. The deeds in Abbeville County were lost in a fire in the 1960's so no record exists of the ownership of this land.

In the late 1970's the United States Corps of Engineers began construction of the Richard B. Russell Dam on the Savannah River near Calhoun Falls, South Carolina and surveys indicated that the resultant flooding would surround the house on three sides and that the flood waters would also inundate the John Caldwell Tombyard which lay a short distance from the house at a lower level.

The Corps of Engineers contacted Johnnie Caldwell Files requesting information concerning the house's history and informing her that the tombyard would be relocated at the Ridge United Methodist Church Cemetery a few miles northwest of its original location. Copies of the correspondence and maps accompany this narrative.

According to information received from the Engineers and other governmental agencies the house was being purchased from the present owners, Bandon and Catherine Hutchinson, and would be placed on the Register of Historic Places and preserved as an example of an early South Carolina frontier farmstead.

The house is located on County Road 93, 1 mile south of County Road 81, 1.8 miles southwest of intersection with County Road 65, 4.4 miles southwest of intersection of County Road 65 and State Highway 81, 1.6 miles east of the Savannah River, Lowndesville vicinity, Abbeville County, South Carolina.

The Caldwell-Hutchinson Farm features a two-story log dogtrot house and log smokehouse dating from the late eighteenth or early nineteenth century. Originally a one-story single-pen dwelling, the house was gradually expanded into a two-story dogtrot with frame front additions and an attached frame kitchen and dining room. The farmstead has not been altered significantly since ca. 1920 and the major structures on the site are in excellent condition.

The original structure consisted of one room with a fireplace and was constructed of hewn logs joined by half-dovetail notching. It is likely that the first additions were made between 1800 and 1810. A second pen was added with a breezeway in between. The roof was raised by three logs to create two second-story rooms and an interior stair was added in the west room to provide access.

The following is a detailed description of the construction of the house in the book, *ALL THAT REMAINS, Appendex A, RUSSELL PAPERS 1983, by the Archeological Services Branch, Atlanta, National Park Service:*

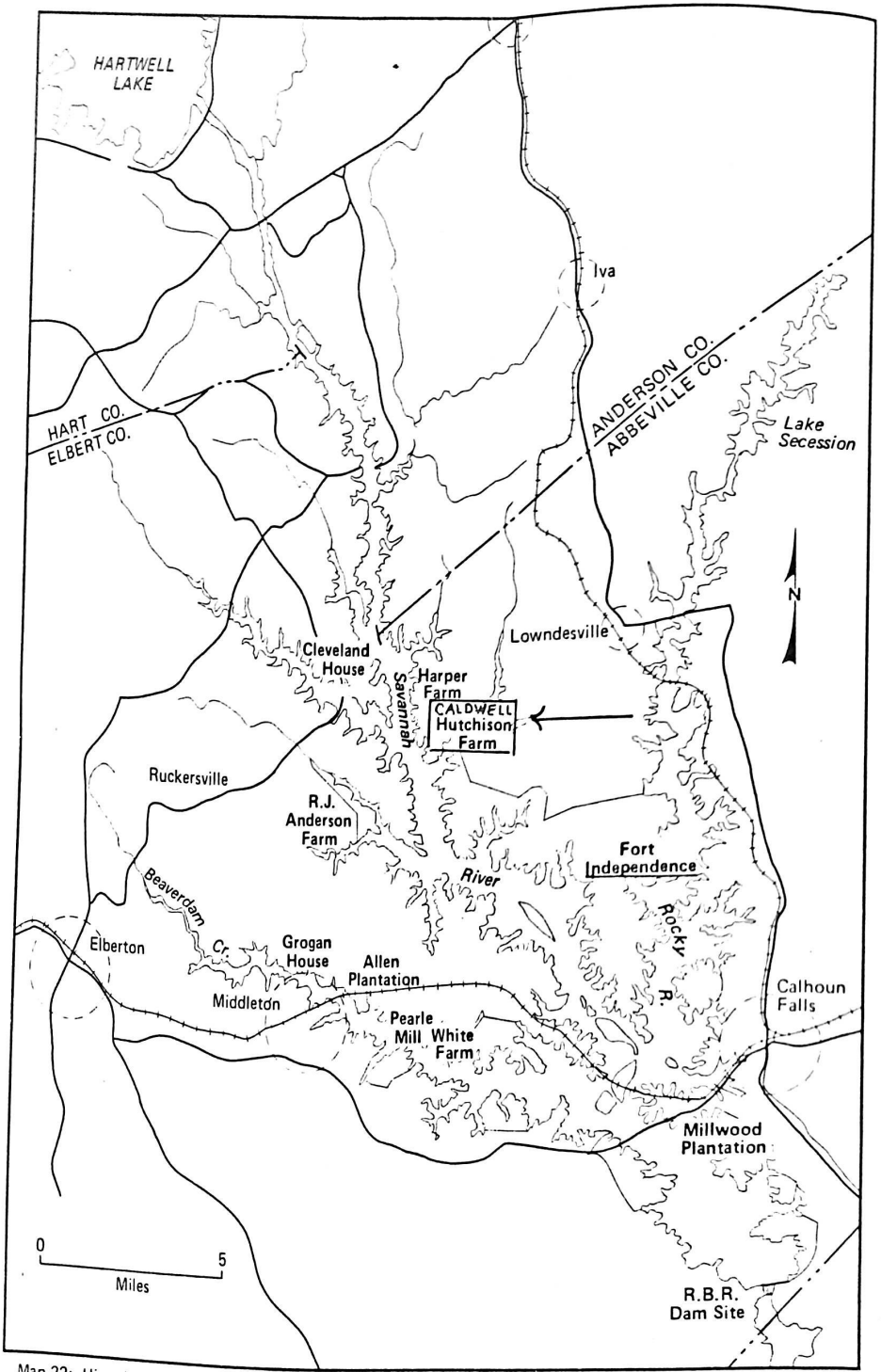
"The two-story log dog-trot house with frame additions; 47' (four bays and dog-trot) X 60' (five bays). Gable roofs covered with sheet-metal, boxed eaves. One-half dovetail log joinery, clapboard siding on additions, boxed eaves, 6x6 sash windows, exterior brick chimneys laid

on fieldstone foundations, original hardware or hand-forged replacement hardware in place throughout; foundations of fieldstone granite piers. Original plan of of one room on either side of dogtrot; present plan two rooms deep on each side of dogtrot, with rear wing; original roof raised to its present height by addition of three logs to walls. This structure is in good condition with little damage to the fabric from deterioration and the preservation of this structure could be easily accomplished. . .Composed of massive hewn logs with one-half dovetail joinery. This well preserved farmhouse is an excellent example of the construction skill of the early settlers of Abbeville County. This is certainly the most impressive log dwelling in the project area, if not in the whole of Abbeville County..."

We, Johnnie Caldwell Files, William W. & Mary Emily Caldwell visited the site of the John Caldwell House in the summer of 1982 and again in June of 1984 and found that though the United States Government had bought the house and surrounding land no work had begun in the preservation process. The Hutchinsons, Bandon and Katherine were still living there but were planning to build a new home on land reserved for that purpose nearby. Bandon Huchinson told us that he had been informed that work would begin sometime in 1985 on the restoration project.

It is hoped that this will be done soon and the house and outbuildings will be preserved and restored for posterity as a prime example of frontier architecture, circa 1780-1800.

Following are copies of detailed drawings of the house, outbuildings and road network surrounding the area taken from ALL THAT REMAINS, etc.



Map 22: Historic Sites, Russell MRA

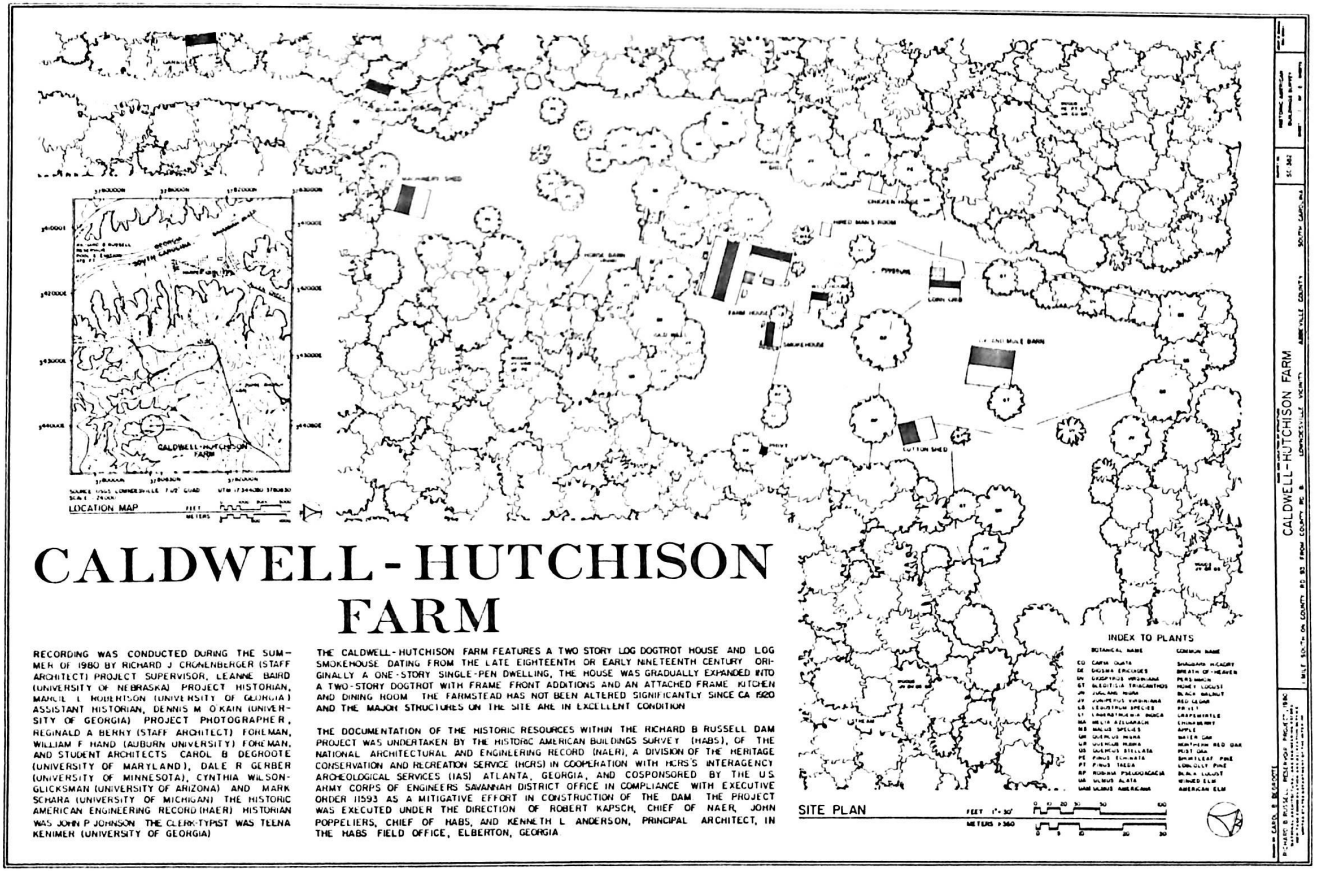


Figure 86. Caldwell-Hutchison property: Site plan.

THE JOHN CALDWELL HOUSE

THE JOHN CALDWELL HOUSE DOG TROT

Sitting in the "Dog Trot" of the John Caldwell House are William W. Caldwell G.115, Abandon Hutchinson, Catherine Hutchinson and Johnnie Caldwell Files F.57. This photograph was taken on 17 June 1984.

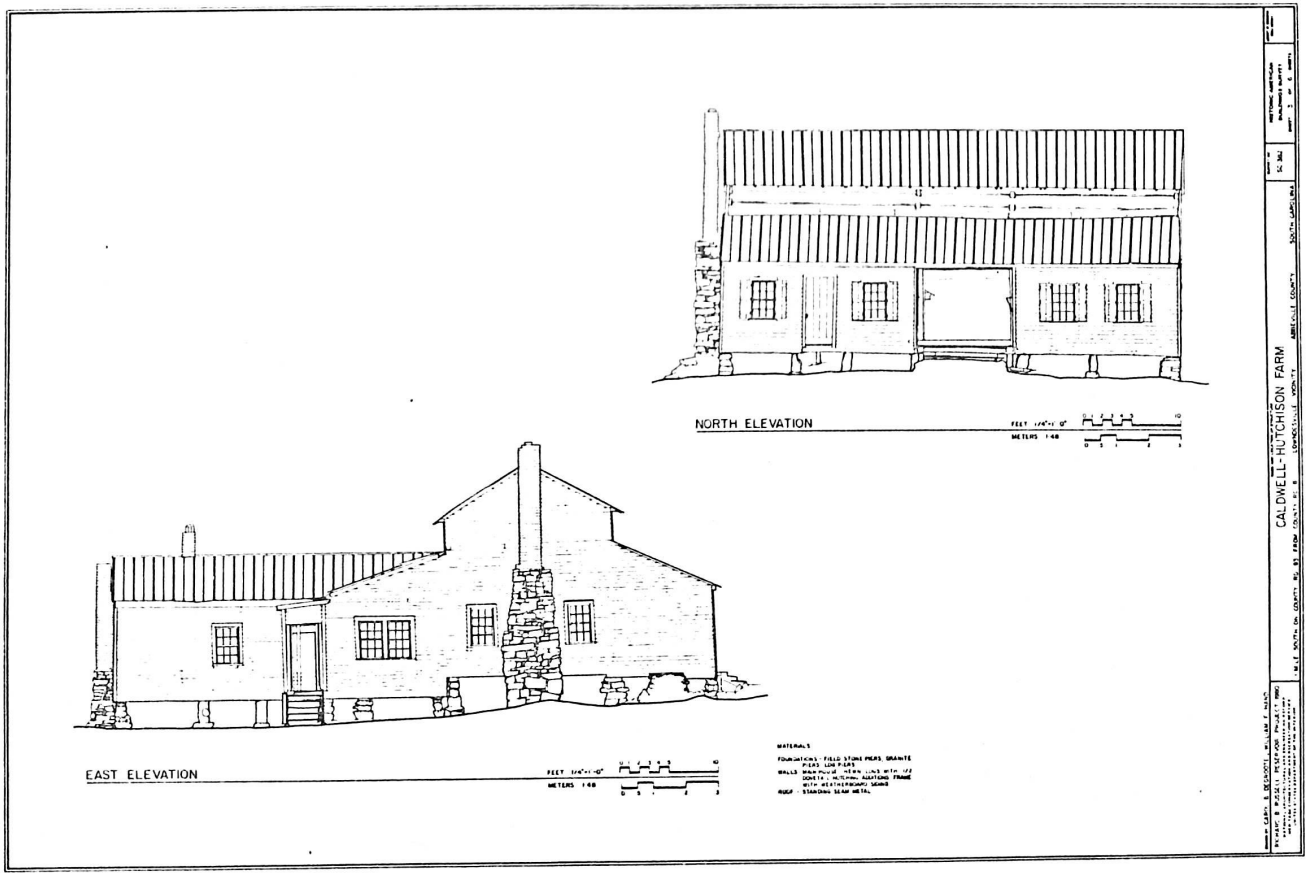
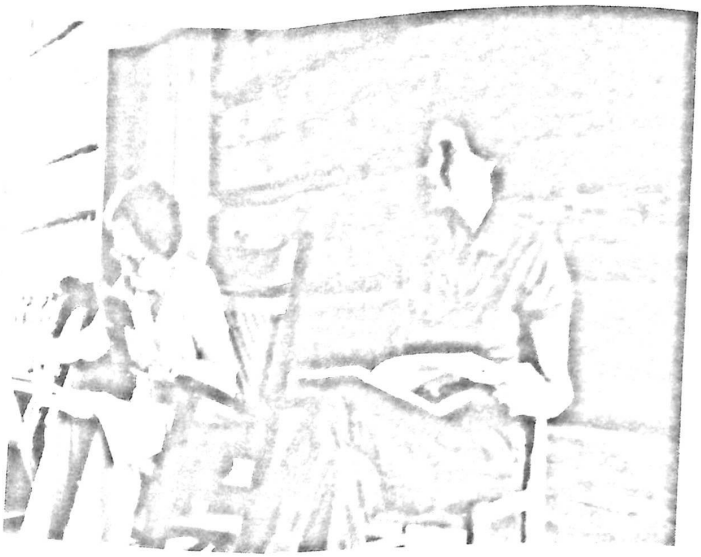
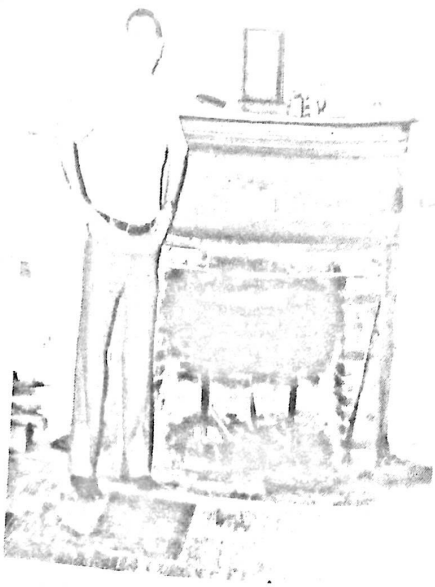


Figure 87. Caldwell-Hutchison house: North and east elevations.



THE JOHN CALDWELL HOUSE

In this photograph are seen (from left) Johnnie Caldwell Files F.57 and Mary Emily Sawyer Caldwell, wife of William Wallace Caldwell G.115. The size and texture of the hand-hewn logs can be readily seen in this picture.



To the left is a photograph taken in a bedroom of the house. William Wallace Caldwell G.115 is seen in this picture.

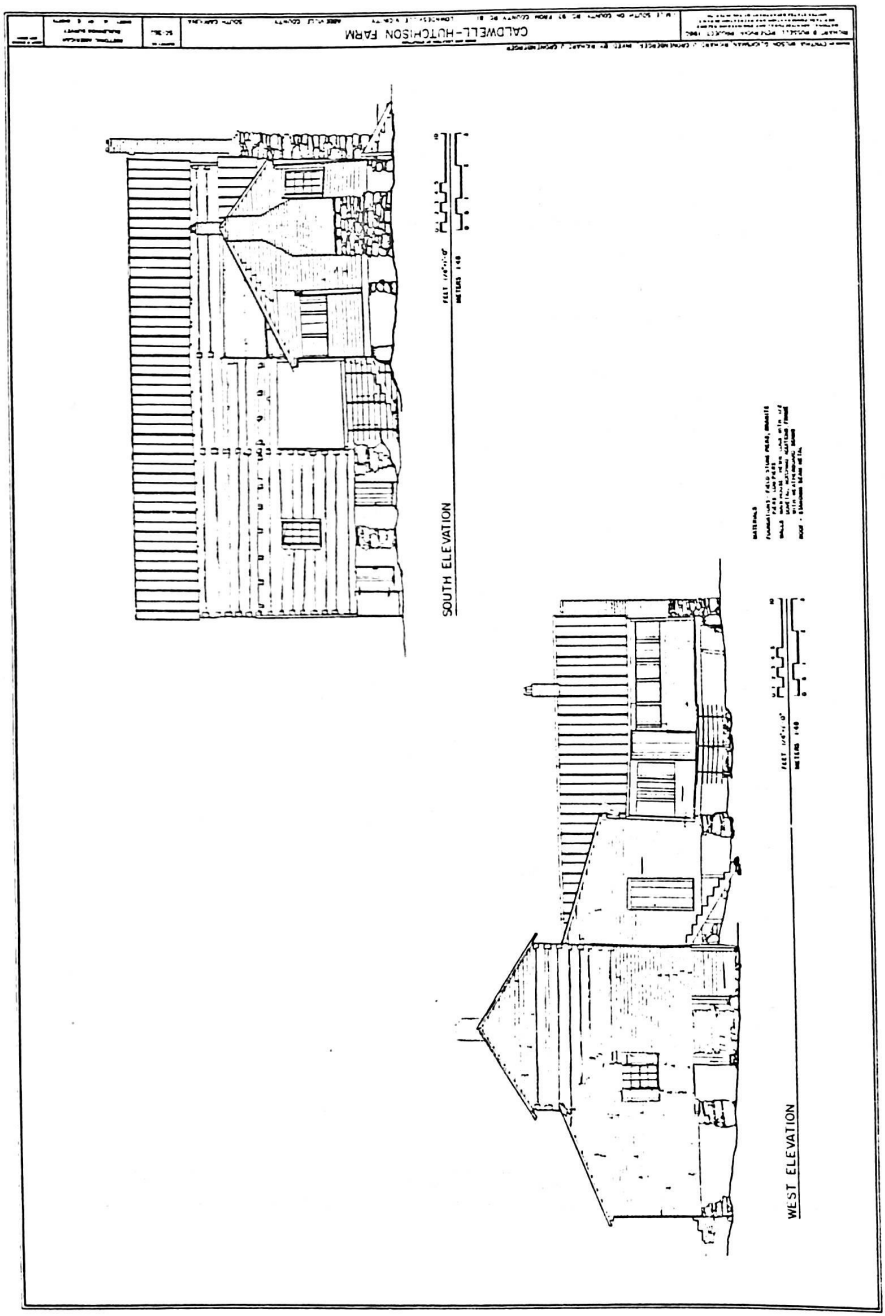


Figure 88. Caldwell-Hutchison house: South and west elevations.

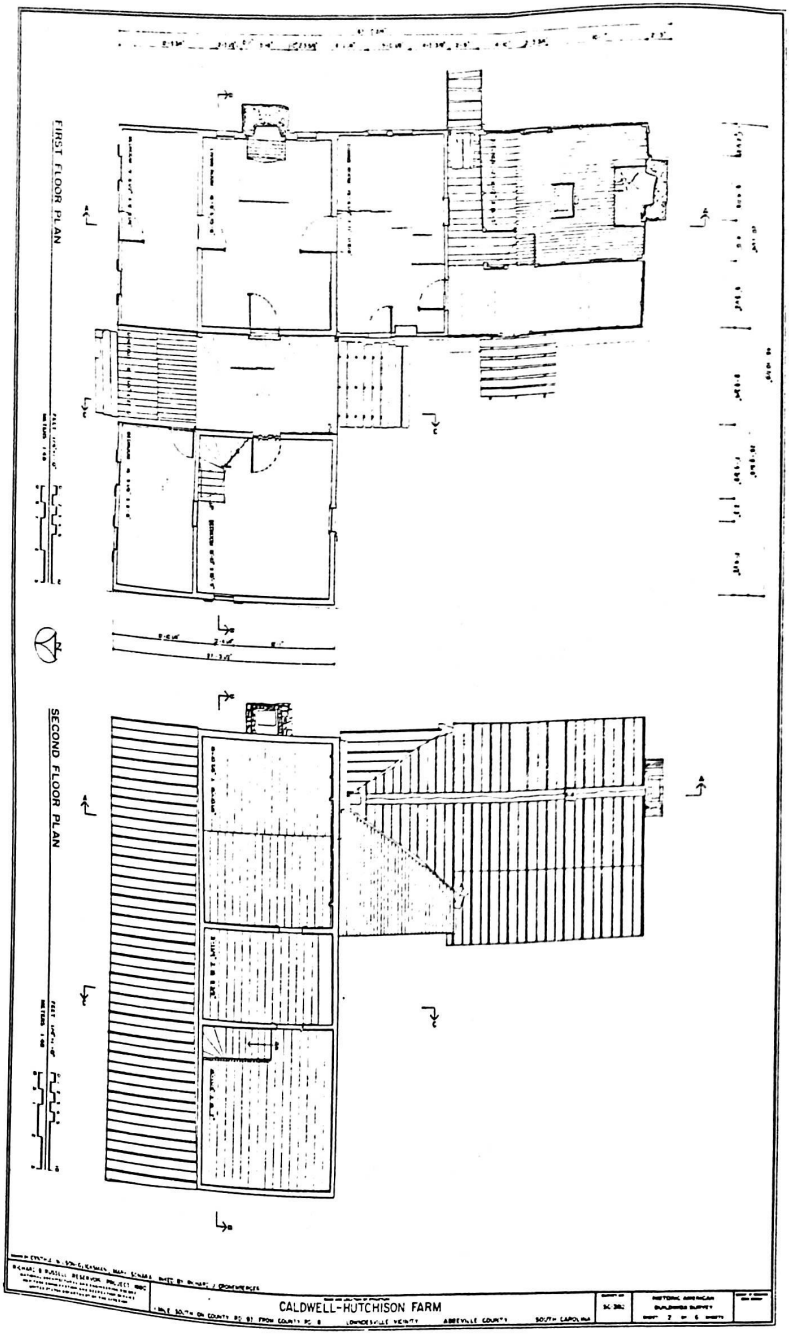


Figure 89. Caldwell-Hutchison house: First and second floor plans.

Upper Savannah
Council of Governments
Post Office Box 1366
Greenwood, South Carolina 29646
Telephone 803-229-6627

March 21, 1978

Mrs. Johnny Files
Parkdale, Arkansas 71661

Dear Mrs. Files:

I am working with Mr. H. L. Carlisle of Calhoun Falls, South Carolina in an effort to have the Hutchison House near Lowndesville placed on the National Register of Historic Places. The Hutchison House and surrounding land will soon be purchased by the U. S. Army Corp of Engineers as part of the Richard B. Russell Dam. Although the house will not be under water (surrounded on three sides), the Corp will have a greater responsibility in it's maintenance if it is placed on the National Register.

It is my understanding from Mr. Carlisle that your grandfather, William H. Caldwell, was at one time an owner of this house. He also cited the notice of the sheriff's sale (1866) in the Abbeville Press & Banner. Do you have any additional information concerning this house.

The two most important points we are trying to document are:

(1) The date the house was built,

(2) Who were the owners of the house and what was their occupation?

There does not seem to be much concrete documentation available at this end and we had hoped that you might be able to provide us with some leads.

If you have any information, photos, newspaper articles, deeds, etc., I would appreciate it if you would contact me.

Thank you for your time and I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely yours,

Ruth K. LaForge

Ruth K. LaForge
Historic Preservation Planner

RKL/ve

Parkdale, Arkansas 71661
March 28, 1978

Miss Ruth LaForge
Upper Savannah
Council of Governments
P.O. Box 1366
Greenwood, South Carolina 29646

Dear Miss LaForge:

I am so pleased with the thought that the home of my Caldwell ancestor could be placed on the National Register of Historical Places. I certainly want to do all I can to help. But I am afraid I, too, can't offer any concrete evidence to prove exactly when the house was built. My grandfather's home burned in the early 1930's so if he had deeds or any other records they were all lost. I will state what I have used to base my conclusions on.

James Caldwell (1738-1804) and his family, including his son John Caldwell (1761-1816) came to Abbeville District from Mecklenburg County, North Carolina in 1772. This is from a Memorial exhibited by James Caldwell; Memorial Book, Vol. II, page 510, South Carolina Archives.

I believe John Caldwell, father of William H. Caldwell (1804-1866/7) acquired this land and built the oldest part of the Hutchison House, when he married, ca. 1784, Elizabeth Thompson, daughter of Matthew Thompson. John Caldwell's will, dated 15 April 1812, proven 27 May 1816. Final settlement of his estate occurred after his widow, Elizabeth, died in 1839.

I quote from his will "to my sons John Caldwell and William H. Caldwell I leave my plantation on which I live to be equally divided between them, allowing John to have the upper half from the ditch leading from the hills to the river to be dividing line and from the ditch to the mouth of the branch on the river." Final settlement shows them getting the land.

From Bible records of John G. Caldwell (1801-1846) shows him marrying 16 March 1824 while William H. didn't marry until 1829 or 30. So we feel John G. built his own home leaving William H. to live with their mother in the John Caldwell home.

Since my research was done in the early 1960's my photocopies of John's will and estate settlement are too dim for me to copy for you. I am writing Mr. Carlisle and sending him some money to see if he will get copies of these for you.

Do think I should mention that William H. Caldwell was my great grandfather. His son, Lemuel Joseph (1847-1918), was my grandfather. He left Lowndesville, S.C. with his parents when the land was sold. He settled in Mississippi, coming to Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas in 1879 where my father, John Henry Caldwell was born in 1882, died 1965.

Sincerely, /s/ Johnnie Caldwell Files

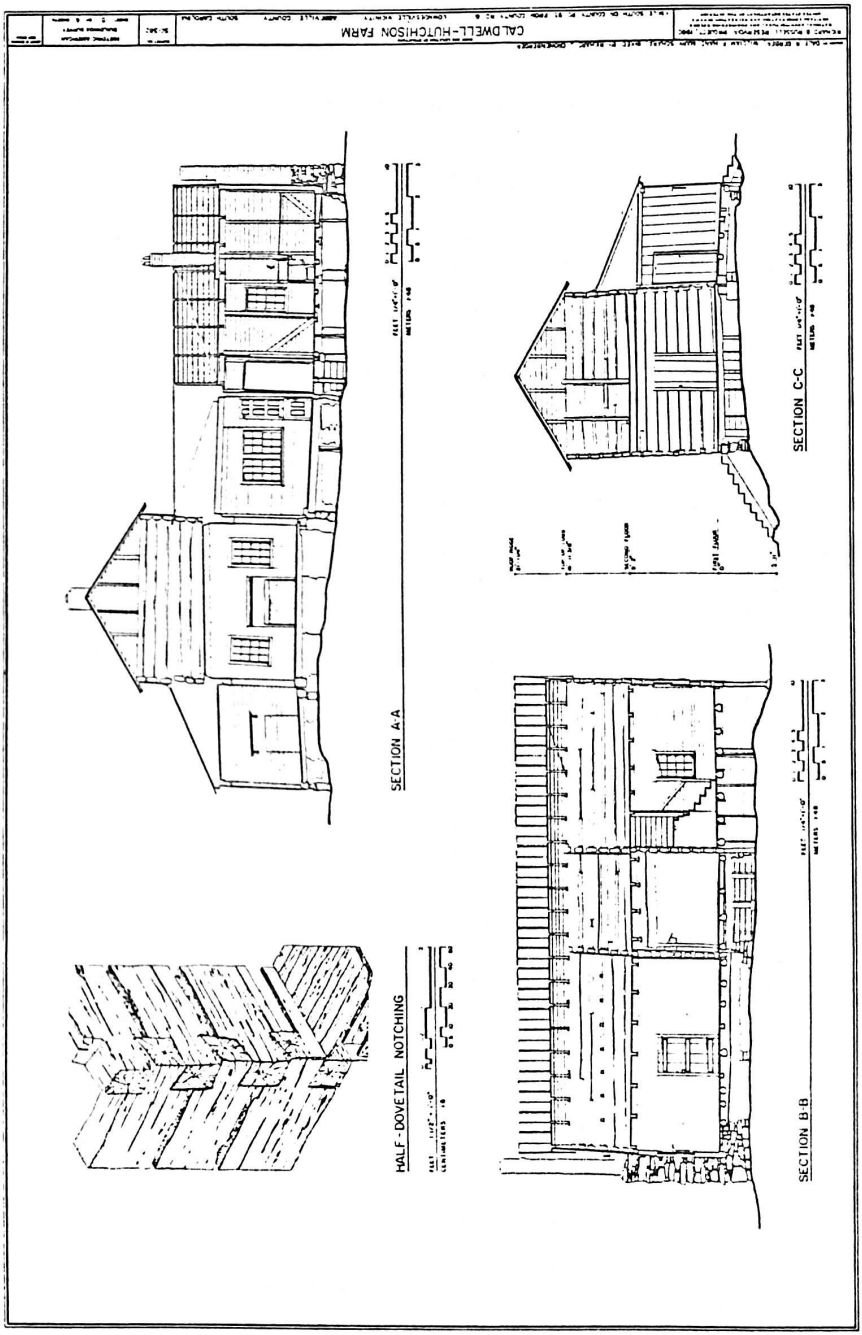


Figure 90. Caldwell-Hutchison house: Section and detail.

THE JOHN CALDWELL TOMBYARD

Located between the John Caldwell House and the Savannah River, this old cemetery is thought to be the final resting place of John and Elizabeth Thompson Caldwell, several of their children and a number of slaves.

Stones marking the graves at first indicated that there were seventeen persons buried in the cemetery but when it was disenterred by the United States Corps of Engineers for removal to a new site there were indications that additional burials had been made.

The cemetery was surrounded by a low rock wall and divided into two sections. It is theorized that the graves in the smaller section were those of slaves. Grave markers were rocks of varying sizes, ranging from a weight of five to 25 pounds. It is thought that the larger stones were for the graves of John and Elizabeth Caldwell, etc, while the small ones were for children and others.

The cemetery was relocated in the latter part of 1981 by the Corps of Engineers because of the anticipated flooding of the area by waters impounded by the newly constructed Richard B. Russell Dam on the nearby Savannah River. Reinterrment was made at Ridge United Methodist Church a couple of miles northwest of the original site.

The Corps of Engineers has provided us with a detailed map of the original cemetery and the new location. (see later). They had relocated many small family cemeteries to Ridge Church and had cleared an area there which would accomodate several hundred graves.

The author and Mrs. William T. Files (Johnnie Caldwell) plan to erect a suitable monument at the Ridge Church location which will identify the persons buried there and note the fact John Caldwell was a soldier in the South Carolina Miltitia during America's struggle for independence from Great Britain.

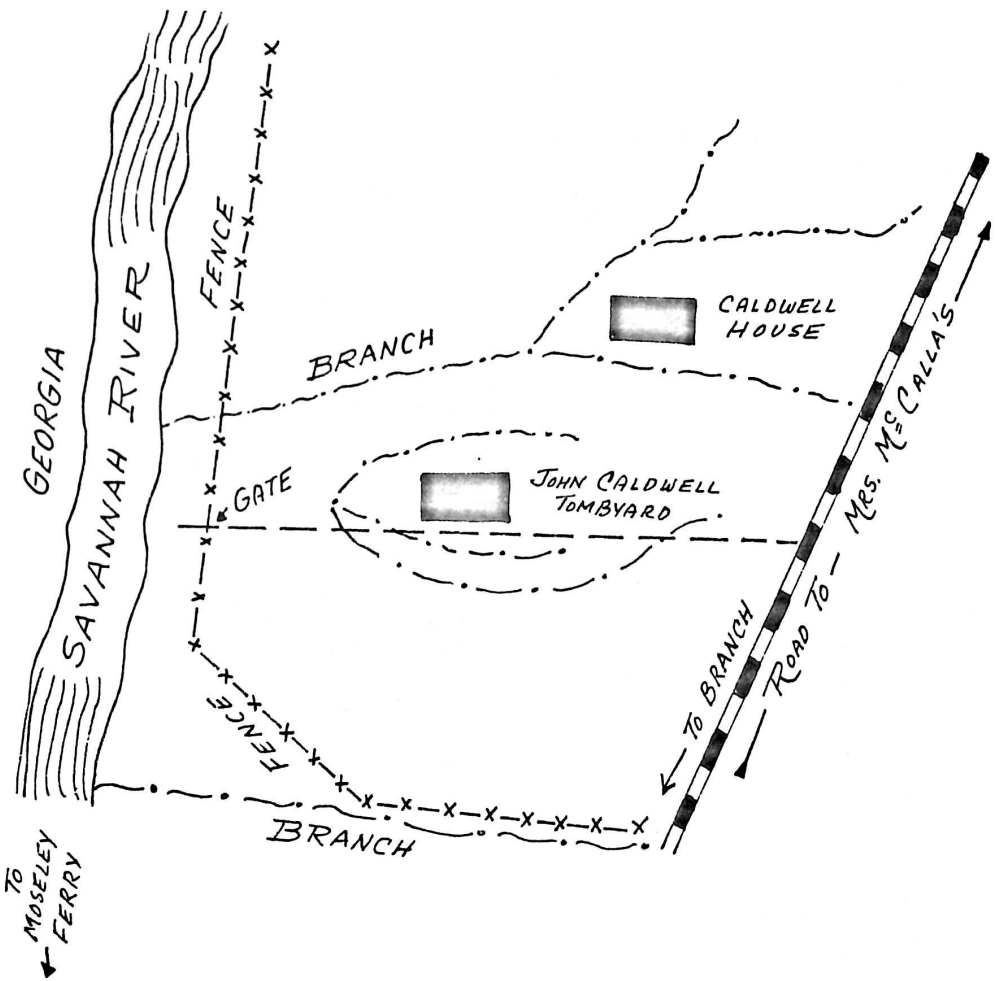
Following this short narrative we have included maps, charts and several letters we wrote and received from various government agencies regarding the cemetery.

DIRECTIONS TO THE CALDWELL CEMETERY

by

H. L. CARLISLE

One way to find them from Moseley Ferry - go up the river bank- cross a semi-dey ditch or spring drain - go to next branch that arises in Mrs. McCalla's Fish Pond - find the portion of a fence that leads "Up the river" (it comes <u>down</u> the branch) follow the fence to a "gate" on the hillside and a wagon road leading from the island and river bottom. From the gate you go right up the hill to the tip of a long <u>narrow</u> ridge pointing toward the southwest and Georgia - on the left @ 50 ft. from the road and @ 200 ft. from the tip end of the ridge are the graves in a rock wall enclosure - there are 3 rows in the main or larger wall...



SMYRNA METHODIST CHURCH

This church in Lowndesville, Abbeville county, SC was established in 1809. This is probably where William H. Caldwell C.17 and his wife Elizabeth Moseley attended church service.

He had been raised in the Presbyterian Church attending Rocky River Presbyterian Church where his father and grandfather were Elders. After his marriage he joined the Methodist church.

His line of descendants have, for the most part, been Methodist ever since.

RIDGE METHODIST CHURCH

This church which was organized in 1839 is located near Lowndesville, Abbeville, SC. It is here that the graves in the "John Caldwell Tombyard" B.2 were moved from the original location because of the threat of flooding by the Richard B. Russell Dam on the nearby Savannah River. A plat showing the location of these graves is to be found in the John Caldwell B.2 section of this book. Plans are to erect a suitable permanent marker at the site. The old cemetery was located in a hollow near the John Caldwell House which is described in detail in the John Caldwell, B2, section of this history.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
SAVANNAH DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS
RICHARD B. RUSSELL REAL ESTATE PROJECT OFFICE
P. O. BOX 1050 - ELBERTON, GA 30635

SASRE-RR

7 June 1978

Mrs. W. T. Files
Park Dale
Arkansas 71661

Re: Richard B. Russell Dam and Lake Project, Cemetery Relocations

Dear Mrs. Files:

I was discussing with Mr. H. L. Carlisle of Calhoun Falls, SC, the Caldwell Cemetery which has 17 graves and asked about any relatives he might know who could be contacted about the cemetery and your name was given to me. This cemetery is located about half a mile south of the old McCalla House on the property of the Mead Corporation in Abbeville County, SC, which property is being acquired by the United States of America for the Richard B. Russell Dam and Lake.

The cemetery is located below the waterline and it is therefore necessary that it be relocated. There are no markers, only rocks designating the head and foot of each grave. The only church in the area is the Ridge Church which is approximately three miles north. As there are other cemeteries to relocate, this church is the closest and would possibly also be the choice of the relatives of the deceased buried in the other cemeteries. The cost involved in the relocations is borne by the Government.

It would be appreciated if you would inform us about your relation to the Caldwells and your desires concerning the above location for the relocation.

Sincerely,

Herman W. Jordan

HERMAN W. JORDAN
Cartographic Technician

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
SAVANNAH DISTRICT. CORPS OF ENGINEERS
RICHARD B. RUSSELL REAL ESTATE PROJECT OFFICE
P. O. BOX 1050 - ELBERTON, GA 30635

SASRE-RR

22 June 1978

Mrs. W. T. Files
Parkdale
Arkansas 71661

Re: Richard B. Russell Dam and Lake Project, Cemetery Relocations

Dear Mrs. Files:

Inclosed is print of Caldwell Cemetery showing location of graves and title block. The rocks designating the head and foot of each grave wil be moved to the new site and also a metal marker will be placed at the head of each grave at the new site.

Mr. Willie L. ~~Caldwell~~ Bowman, Sr., Lowndesville, South Carolina 29659, furnished th inclosed list of his decedents showing that he is a distant relative of the Caldwells. He asked that should you be in the area that you look h up.

Sincerely,

Herman W. Jordan

HERMAN W. JORDAN
Cartographic Technician

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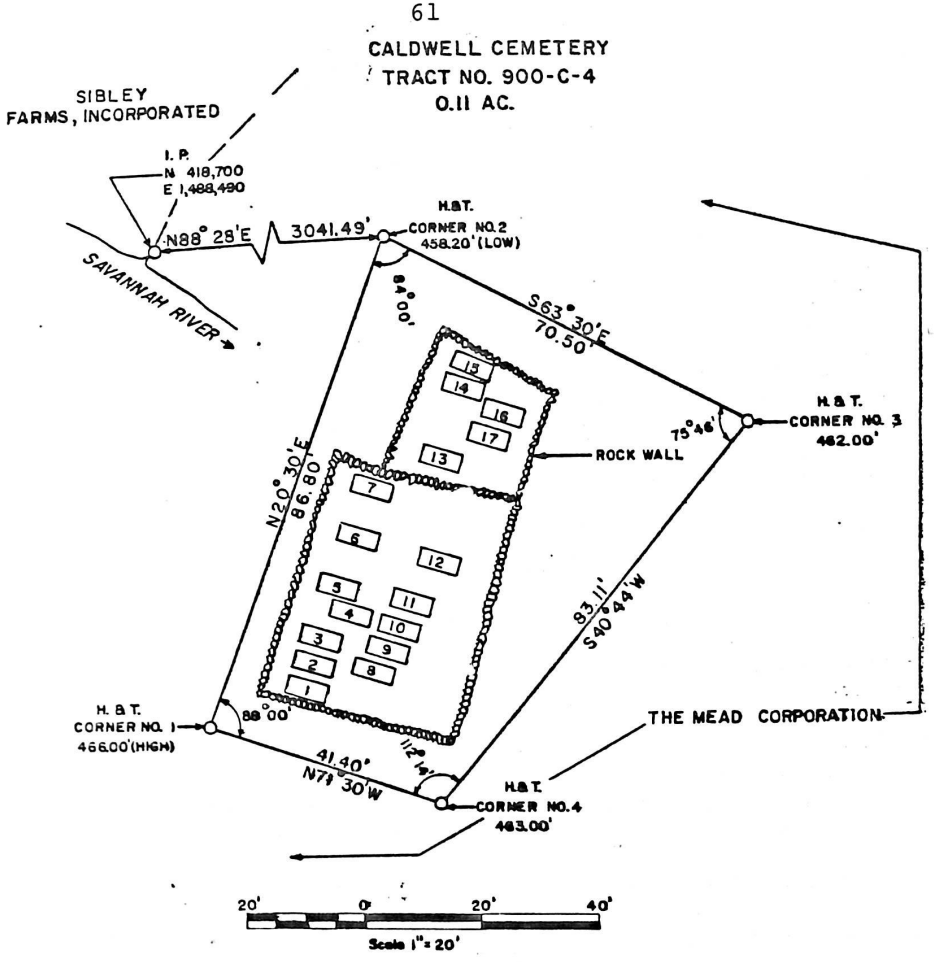

CALDWELL CEMETERY

No.	Name	Birth Date	Burial Date	Marker Head	Marker Foot	Weight Head	Weight Foot	Weight Ledger	Weight Slab	Weight Vault
1.	UNKNOWN	UNKN.	UNKN.	ROCK	ROCK	5 lbs.	5 lbs.			
2.	"	"	"	ROCK	ROCK	10 lbs.	5 lbs.			
3.	"	"	"	ROCK	ROCK	10 lbs.	10 lbs.			
4.	"	"	"	ROCK	NONE	10 lbs.				
5.	"	"	"	ROCK	ROCK	25 lbs.	25 lbs.			
6.	"	"	"	NONE	NONE					
7.	"	"	"	"	"					
8.	"	"	"	ROCK	"	10 lbs.				
9.	"	"	"	ROCK	ROCK	10 lbs.	10 lbs.			
10.	"	"	"	NONE	NONE					
11.	"	"	"	"	"					
12.	"	"	"	ROCK	"	10 lbs.				
13.	"	"	"	ROCK	"	10 lbs.				
14.	"	"	"	NONE	"					
15.	"	"	"	"	"					
16.	"	"	"	"	"					
17.	"	"	"	"	"					

1303 Brentwood Road
Pine Bluff, AR 71601
January 17, 1982

Department of the Army
Savannah District, Corps of Engineers
Richard B. Russell Real Estate Project Office
P.O. Box 1050
Elberton, GA 30635

RE: Richard B. Russell Dam and Lake Project
Cemetery Relocations

Dear Sir:

I am writing to inquire about the final disposition of the cemetery relocation project of the Caldwell cemetery, Tract No. 900-C-4, O.II AC.

In a letter dated 7 June 1978 Mr. Herman W. Jordan, Cartographic Technician, suggested the relocation of the graves be made to the Ridge Church Cemetery Which is about three miles north.

My aunt, Mrs. W. T. Files, may have written you that we believe this cemetery to be that of John Caldwell, a Revolutionary War Soldier, who served in the South Carolina Militia under the command of General Andrew Pickens. John Caldwell was an ancestor of ours.

I would appreciate hearing from you regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

William W. Caldwell

William W. Caldwell

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
SAVANNAH DISTRICT, CORPS OF ENGINEERS
RICHARD B. RUSSELL REAL ESTATE PROJECT OFFICE
P. O. BOX 1050 – ELBERTON, GA 30635

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

SASRE-R

25 January 1982

Mr. William W. Caldwell
1303 Brentwood Road
Pine Bluff, AR 71601

Dear Mr. Caldwell:

Thank you for your letter dated 17 January 1982 concerning the relocation of Caldwell Cemetery, Tract 900-C-4. This cemetery was moved to Ridge Church Cemetery on 8 December 1981. The Trustees of Ridge Church Cemetery will be furnished a map by this office in the near future showing locations and names of cemeteries and graves at the new location.

In regard to your historical interest, you should contact the Resource Manager for the Richard B. Russell Lake at the following address:

Resource Manager
Richard B. Russell Lake
Route 4, Box 244B
Elberton, GA 30635
Telephone: (404) 283-8731

Please let us know if we can be of any further assistance.

Sincerely,

Woodrow B. Sandlin

WOODROW B. SANDLIN, JR.
Project Manager

1303 Brentwood Road
Pine Bluff, AR 71601
June 21, 1982

Mrs. Ruth K. LaForge
Historic Preservation Planner
Upper Savannah Council of Gov.
P.O. Box 1366
Greenwood, SC 29646

Dear Mrs. LaForge:

RE: Caldwell-Hutchinson House & John Caldwell Cemetery

In 1978 you wrote to my aunt, Mrs. Johnnie Files, of Parkdale, AR, about the Caldwell-Hutchinson House located near Lowndesville, SC.

We also received a letter from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in regard to moving the John Caldwell Cemetery to the Ridge Church near there.

Shortly after this we had several illnesses and deaths in our family and failed to reply.

We have just returned from a trip to Abbeville County where we visited the house, cemetery and Ridge Church. After discussing the matter with several descendants of John Caldwell we feel that it would be more fitting for his cemetery to be relocated near the old home. We learned from talking with Mr. Hutchinson that the house had been placed on the National Register of Historic Places and that a park will be built there with a paved road, etc.

John Caldwell was a Revolutionary War Soldier who served in the South Carolina Militia under the command of Colonel Robert Anderson and General Andrew Pickens. We have proven his service and I have joined the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution on my descent from him.

Mr. Hutchinson informed us that the graves had not yet been moved and that it will probably be a while before this is done. My aunt and I will be happy to pay the reasonable cost of erecting a suitable marker for the cemetery which will indicate that John Caldwell was an American Revolutionary War Soldier, etc.

I am enclosing copies of letters and documents relating to this matter for your reference.

Also, John Caldwell and his father James Caldwell were elders in the Rocky River Presbyterian Church located a few miles away. We visited this church and noticed that there is ample space available there. This would be a good alternate location if it is impossible to relocate the cemetery near the Caldwell-Hutchinson House.

We feel that it is important that the final resting place for the remains of John Caldwell and his family be in the ground he loved, the old home site or the church he served as an elder.

We certainly hope you can help us with this matter and hope that something can be done before the cemetery is moved.

Thank you so very much for your assistance.

Sincerely yours,
/s/William W. Caldwell

July 5, 1982

Department of the Army
Savannah District, Corps of Engineers
Richard B. Russell Real Estate Project Office
P.O. Box 1050
Elberton, GA 30635

Gentlemen:

RE: Richard B. Russell Dam and Lake Project, Cemetery Relocations, The John Caldwell Cemetery.

Your office had suggested that the Caldwell Cemetery be relocated to the Ridge Church Cemetery located approximately one and one half miles northeast of its present location.

I have just returned from a trip to Abbeville County and was informed by Mr. Bandon Hutchinson the present owner of the Caldwell-Hutchinson House that the graves have not been moved.

We were also informed that the Caldwell-Hutchinson House has been purchased by the United States of America and will be placed on the National Register of Historic Places, restored and preserved and that a park will be constructed at the site.

Records and tradition indicate that this house was built by John Caldwell and his wife Elizabeth Thomson Caldwell in about 1780. His son William H. Caldwell lived there with his wife and widowed mother until the place was sold at a sheriff's sale in 1866.

William H. and John Caldwell were my ancestors. John and his father James were both Revolutionary War Soldiers who served under Gen. Andrew Pickens and Col. Robert Anderson in the American Revolution.

I have talked to several others who are descendants of John Caldwell and we feel that it would be appropriate to relocate the John Caldwell Cemetery near the Caldwell-Hutchinson House or in the adjoining park. Family members have agreed to provide a suitable marker commemorating the service of John Caldwell during the Revolutionary War.

The Ridge Church is a Methodist Church and the cemetery is not in the best of condition. In addition, John Caldwell came from a long line of Presbyterians and records show that he was an Elder in the Rocky River Presbyterian Church which is located about five miles northeast of his cemetery. Howe's HISTORY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN SOUTH CAROLINA lists him and his father, James, as early members and Elders in the Rocky River Church.

We have written to Mrs. Ruth LaForge, Historic Preservation Planner, Upper Savannah Council of Governments, expressing our desires in this matter.

I am enclosing copies of correspondence relating to the matter for your information.

If this no longer falls within your jurisdiction please forward to those who are currently responsible.

Your assistance and consideration are deeply appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

William W. Caldwell

William W. Caldwell

1303 Brentwood Road
Pine Bluff, AR 71601
July 7, 1982

Mr. H. L. Carlisle
P.O. Box 374
Calhoun Falls, SC 29628

Dear Mr. Carlisle:

My aunt, Johnnie Caldwell Files, wrote you recently in reference to the Caldwell-Hutchinson House and the John Caldwell Cemetery. She is taking a trip to Seattle with her daughter and she asked me to write to you, bringing you up to date on our correspondence with various state and federal agencies which are involved in the matter.

I am enclosing xerox copies of my letters and those we have received for your information.

The Corps of Engineers states that the graves have been moved, 8 December 1981. We found no markers and scant evidence of this having been done when we visited Ridge Church last month. Also, Mr. Bandon Hutchinson told us that in fact they have not been relocated.

If there is any possible way for you to look into this matter we will be very grateful. Unfortunately, we did not try to go to the site of the cemetery (Caldwell) because of the undergrowth and my health.

As you note from my letters, I have suggested strongly that the relocation be to the grounds of the Caldwell-Hutchinson House or failing that the churchyard at Rocky River Church.

I am indeed sorry that we were unable to visit with you on our recent trip to Abbeville County. Perhaps, sometime in the near future we will be able to come back over there.

Your help in this matter will be deeply appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

William W. Caldwell

1303 Brentwood Road
Pine Bluff, AR 71601
July 7, 1982

Resource Manager
Richard B. Russell Lake
Route 4, Box 244B
Elberton, GA 30635

Gentlemen:

RE: Caldwell-Hutchinson House & Caldwell Cemetery

I am a descendant of John Caldwell who built the Caldwell-Hutchinson House around 1780-84. His son William H. Caldwell lived there until the property was sold at a Sheriff's sale in 1866. My great grand father Lemuel Joseph Caldwell was born there in 1847 and emigrated west after the Civil War, settling finally in Ashley County, Arkansas.

Family members and I visited with Mr. Bandon Hutchinson at the old

house on June 19, 1982. Mr. Hutchinson told us that the United States of America had purchased the property and that it is or soon will be placed on the National Register of Historic Places. Needless to say the descendants of John Caldwell are pleased.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers indicated that their records show that the John Caldwell cemetery has been moved to Ridge Church nearby. We visited that location and found no markers or other indication that the graves have been moved. Mr. Hutchinson told us that indeed they have not been relocated.

If in fact, the relocation has not taken place, we family members would like to suggest that the graves be moved to the grounds of the Caldwell-Hutchinson House. We will provide for the installation of a suitable marble marker denoting that John Caldwell was a Revolutionary War Soldier who served in the South Carolina Militia under the command of Colonel Robert Anderson and General Andrew Pickens.

For your information, I am enclosing copies of correspondence relating to this matter. Your assistance will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

William W. Caldwell

William W. Caldwell

Upper Savannah
Council of Governments
Post Office Box 1366
Greenwood, South Carolina 29646
Telephone 803-229-0627

July 14, 1982

Mr. William W. Caldwell
1303 Brentwood Road
Pine Bluff, AR 71601

Dear Mr. Caldwell:

Your letter of 21 June 1982 to Ruth K. LaForge regarding the Caldwell-Hutchinson House and the John Caldwell Cemetery has been referred to me.

Since Mrs. LaForge contacted your aunt in 1978, the Hutchinson Farm (including the Caldwell-Hutchinson House) has been determined to be eligible for listing in the National Register of Historic Places, although it has not yet been placed on the National Register. This determination assures that the historical attributes of the property will be taken into consideration in the Federal planning process for the Richard B. Russell Dam and Lake.

I do not have any information in my files regarding the John Caldwell Cemetery, but I would suggest that you contact Mr. John LeRoy concerning its relocation. His address in shown below. I will forward a copy of your letter and enclosures on to him.

Please let me know if I can be of any further assistance.

Sincerely,

John C. Blythe, Jr.
Historic Preservation Planner

JCB/jr

cc: Mr. John LeRoy, Resource Manager
U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, Savannah District
Route 4, Box 244B
Elberton, Georgia 30635

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
SAVANNAH DISTRICT CORPS OF ENGINEERS
RICHARD B. RUSSELL REAL ESTATE PROJECT OFFICE
P. O. BOX 1050 – ELBERTON, GA 30635

REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

SASRE-R

16 July 1982

SUBJECT: Richard B. Russell Dam and Lake Project, Cemetery Relocation, The John Caldwell Cemetery

Mr. William W. Caldwell
The Arkansas Society of The Sons
of the American Revolution
1303 Brentwood Road
Pine Bluff, AR 71601

Dear Mr. Caldwell:

Thank you for your letter of July 5, 1982 referenced above.

Files in this office concerning cemetery relocations confirm the letter from Mr. Sandlin (25 Jan 82) that the cemetery known as Caldwell Cemetery Tract 900-C-4 was in fact removed to Ridge Church Cemetery. There were no identifying monuments and markers, therefore, metal markers labeled "unknown" were placed at the new location.

I believe that Mr. Bandon Hutchison is mistaken and is referring to an unknown slave cemetery Tract 1301-C which is above the future water line and will not be relocated.

For your information I have inclosed copies of maps and registers for both of the above cemeteries. If I can be of further service, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

CLARK H. DOWDELL
Project Manager

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RIDGE METHODIST CHURCH

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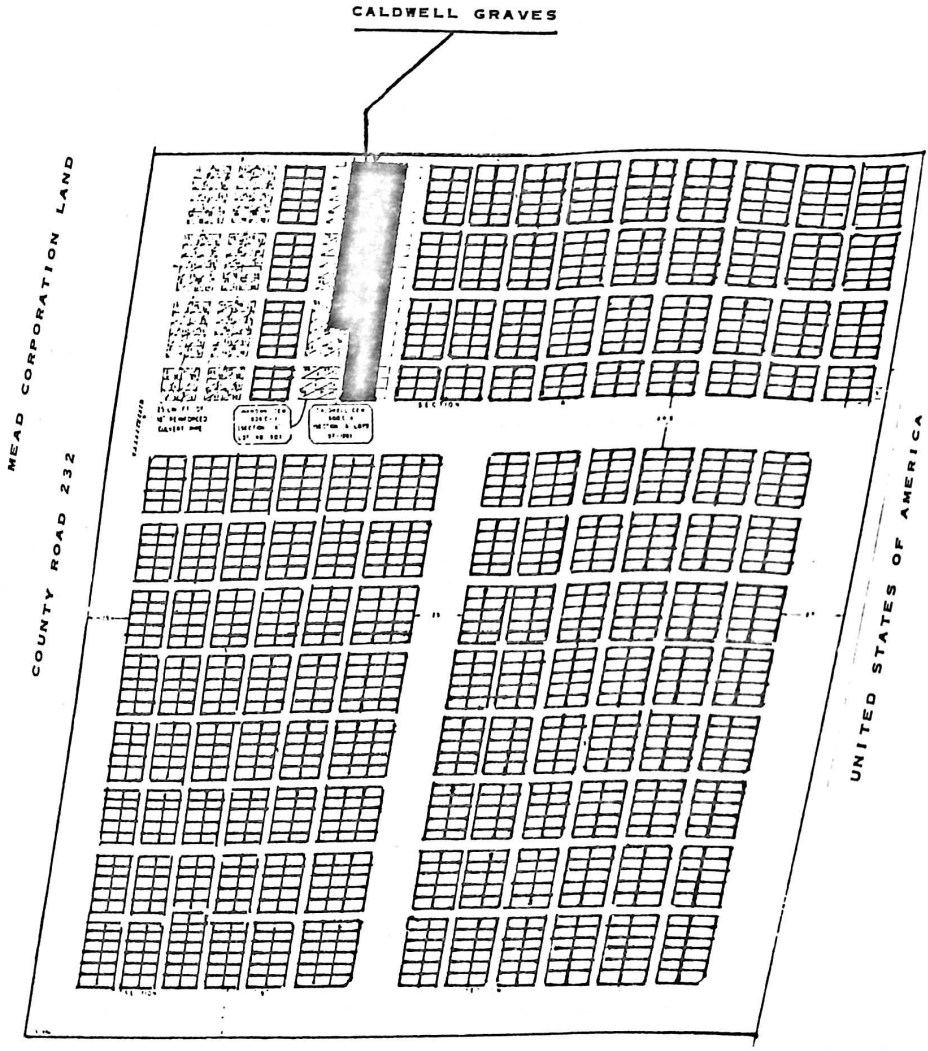
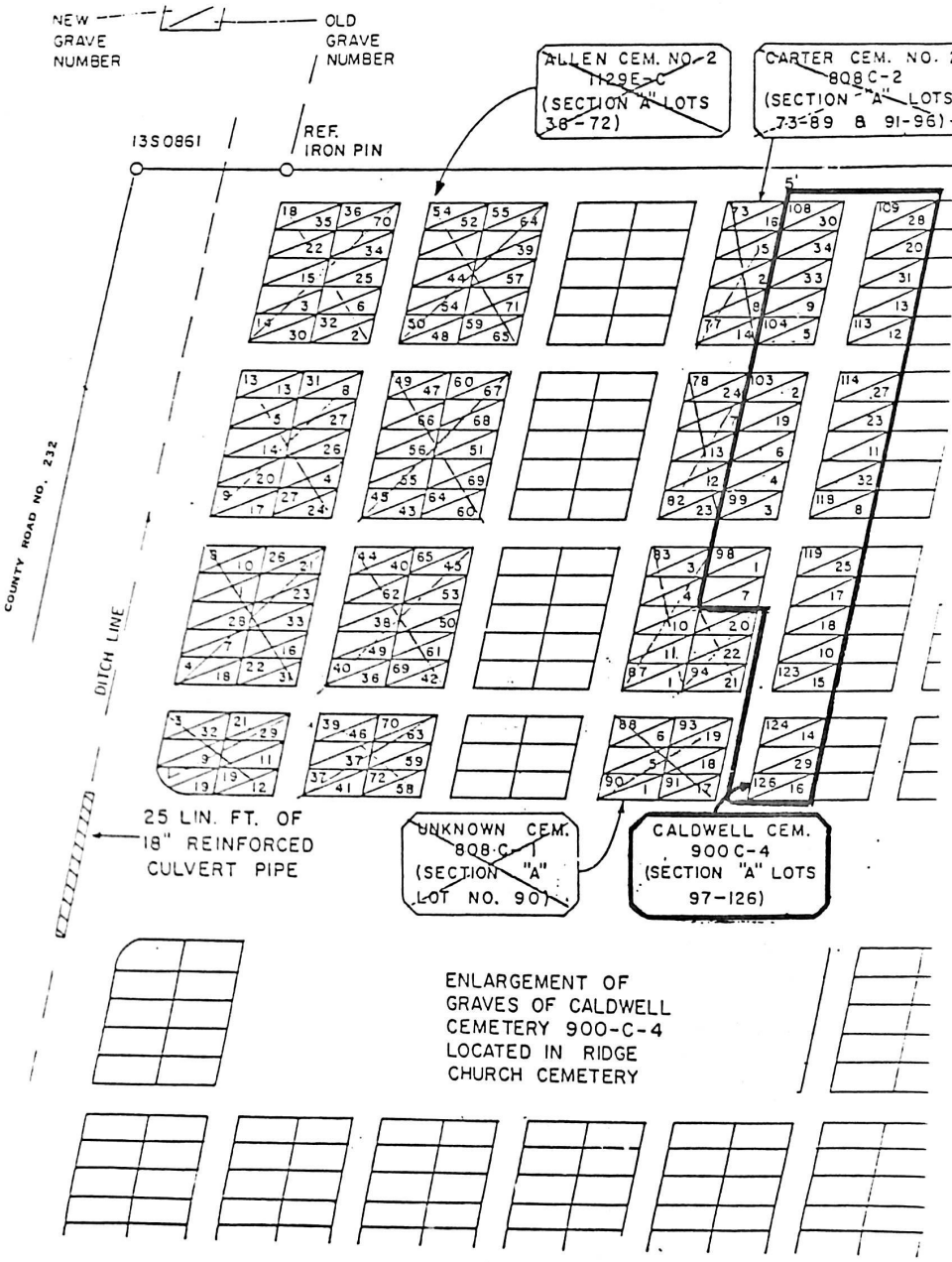
CEMETERY

ABBEVILLE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA

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CALDWELL CEM.
900C-4
(SECTION "A" LOTS 97-126)
ENLARGEMENT OF GRAVES OF CALDWELL CEMETERY 900-C-4 LOCATED IN RIDGE CHURCH CEMETERY

B. 3. DAVID CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell A.1.)
b. ,d ,m.
His children: C.19.

Nothing is known about David Caldwell at this time (1984) execept that he and his son, James Caldwell, are mentioned in James Caldwell's will. He served in the Revolutionary War in the South Carolina Militia with his father and his brother John. (see South Carolina Stub Indents, 225-K, under A.1.) One of the Elizabeth Harris Caldwells mentioned in James' will (A.1.) could have been his daughter.

B. 4. REBECCA CALDWELL (Daughter of James Caldwell A.1.)
b. ,d. ,m. , William Gabriel Pickens.
Their Children: C.20, C.21, C.22, C.23, C.24, C.25, C.26.

They moved to Livingston County, Kentucky. He served in the Revolutionary War. See, *Pickens Families of the South,* by E. M. Sharp for further information.

B. 5. ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Daughter of James Caldwell A.1.)
b. 7 October 1768, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, d. 1851, m. Matthew Wilson, about 1788.
Their children: C.27, C.28, C.29, C.30, C.31, C.31, C.33, C.34 C.35, C.36, C.37, C.38.

Elizabeth and Matthew Wilson died in Abbeville County, South Carolina. They are both buried in the Upper Long Cane Cemetery. Matthew died about 1834. His will recorded in *Vol. II, pages 263 & 264.*

B. 6. MARY CALDWELL (Daughter of James Caldwell A.1.)
b. , d. ,m. (1). Alexander Davis, (2). James Foster, 17 June 1806.
Their children: C.39, C.40, C.41, C.42, C.43.

Mary Caldwell married first Alexander Davis, son of Moses Davis. Alexander Davis died about 1802-1803. An inventory of his estate was made on 8 September 1803 by David Madden, Charles Johnson and James Caldwell, Jr.

William H. Caldwell, Wm. Davis, Ezekiel Calhoun, Sr., bound unto Andrew Hamilton - 2-6-1809 for the sum of $10,000.00. Wm. Davis guardian of Moses, James C., Rebecca, Alexander Davis, minors of Alexander Davis, dec'd.

Buyers at the sale of Alexander Davis' estate were: Mary Davis, Andrew Davis, Martin Shoemaker, Henry Purdy, Charles Holland, Andrew Holland, Wm. H. Caldwell, James Gamble, Richard Ford, Titus Murray, William Davis, David Madden, Gibson Wooldridge, James Caldwell.

Mary Caldwell's marriage to James Foster is recorded in *A Register of the Marriages Celebrated and Solemnized by Moses Waddel, D.D. in South Carolina and Georgia, 1795 to 1836.*

B. 7. JAMES CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell A.1.)
b. ,d. about 1805, m. Jane_____(probably Lowry).
Their children: unknown.

Inventory of his estate made on 12 March 1805 by James Caldwell and William Caldwell. Their bond signed by John Lowry and James Foster.

B. 8. WILLIAM HARRIS CALDWELL (son of James Caldwell A.1.)
b. 4 May 1774, d. 29 October 1855, m. (1) Jane (probably Jane Davis), (2) Bedy Jones Ellington.
Their children: C.44, C.45, C.46, C.47, C.48 & C.49 by 2nd. marriage.

From a family history compiled by Mrs. Mary Lou Caldwell Whelchel we quote the following;

"...After spending some ten or fifteen years, off and on, plus considerable money trying to find out what the H. was for in William H. Caldwell, I found his tombstone. I needed to know the middle name because there were four William H. Caldwells in Abbeville County, S.C. in the early 1800's. Names like Harvey, Henry, Hamilton, Harris, etc, were Caldwell names and I couldn't proceed further until I found out the middle name.

The tombstone is located in Talladega County, Alabama near Childersburg or Kymulga and is on property owned in 1964 by the U.S. Government. The cemetery is known as Nicholson Cemetery for white and colored, is fenced in and would have, I am sure, long since grown up in weeds and trees, except through the courtesy of the Alabama Ordnance Works who kept it at that time in presentable condition. To get to it, I had to get permission from the main office of Alabama Ordnance Works. From the gate, my car was escorted by two cars, one leading and one following, presumably for fear on their part that I might deop a match and blow up the powder in storage. In view of what is shown on tombstones today and in some cases no tombstones, just markers, I feel it might be of interest to read the following inscription on this ancestor's tombstone, which after 114 years seems to be in good condition.

'In memory of Colonel William Harris Caldwell, who was born May 4, 1774, and departed this life October 29, 1855, 81 years, five months, 25 days. A Christian, a soldier, a friend to the oppressed, a heart ever ready to comfort and succor the distressed, his pains have ceased, his cares are o'er, he has reached the blissful shore.'

How this ancestor acquired the title of colonel is not known. The title was used in South Carolina as well as in Alabama. The only wars he could have been in were the Wars of 1812 and/or the Mexican War. No record could be found of his having participated ineither of them and it is assumed he acquired the title of colonel by being head of the county militia in Abbeville County, S.C. He is shown in the 1850 Census of Talladega County as being born in S.C. and is listed as Family #82. Records support the fact that he was a tax collector in 1816 and 1817. He had a land grant in Abbeville County, S.C. in 1822 of 966 acres, on Little River and Alexander Creek, waters of Savannah River, adjacent to John Ashball, James Wardlaw, James Hines, Ellington's Field, James H. Hoskinson, Samuel Drinkwater, William Davis, James E. Calhoun, John Gray, William Rowland, William Brooks, H. Brooks, P. Price, William Robertson, Jr. There is a road to Charleston and to Abbeville Courthouse that goes

through the land and a place called Davis Bridge.

This ancestor helped organize Providence Presbyterian Church in Lowndesville, South Carolina, and today (1969) they are still having services in this church. Prior to organizing the Providence Presbyterian Church, he was an elder in the Rocky River Presbyterian Church near Bull Town then in the western part of Abbeville Co. See George Howe's *History of the Presbyterian Church in South Carolina, Vol.I, page 439 and Volume II, pages 145, 146, 395 and 396.*

Based on the following known documented evidence, we believe that the first wife of Colonel William H. Caldwell was Jane Davis, daughter of Moses Davis, 1804 will, Abbeville District, S.C. She was evidently married to Colonel Caldwell when the will was made. In his will Moses Davis referred to his sons-in-law William Caldwell and Thomas Harris. The will said that the land to be given to his son-in-law William Caldwell joined William Caldwell's own land. There is a land grant to Col. William H. Caldwell with land adjoining Moses Davis on file in Columbia, S.C. To the writer this pretty well proves Colonel Caldwell was a son-in-law of Moses Davis.

No official notice has been found of the death of this first wife. His second wife was Bedy (Jones) Ellington, who had eleven children. She was the widow of one John Ellington. There is a record of this second marriage at Columbia, S.C. and it is shown as February 10, 1831. At the time he had one daughter living with him - Alvirah Caldwell (C.48) Bedy (Jones) Ellington was born in North Carolina. The only known child by this second wife was Benjamin Franklin Caldwell (C.49), born in S.C. in 1834. (Great grandfather of Mary Lou Caldwell Whelchel)

Based on the following records in Talladega County, Alabama, they came to Alabama the same year.

Land deeds - Wm. H. Caldwell, 1834 - 640 acres Section ?, 1835 - 639 acres Section 27, 1837 - 611 acres Section 28.

On his will in Talladega County are the names of Titus Murray, Isaac Hudson, Phillip Archer, who appeared in S.C. records at an earlier date. F. A. Butt, Isaac Ferguson and the name Ellington also appear.

From the journal of Oliver Welch, 1850-1860 Talladega County - dated June 28, 1851: "Went to meeting at Kymulga. Met with Brethen Scott and Rowden. Scott and Collins preached. Went home with Colonel Caldwell and spent a very pleasant evening."

In 1838 the Orphans Court in Talladega he was appointed guardian of Parthania, Authania and Justina Carolina Ellington, minor children of the deceased John Ellington, first husband of Bedy Jones Ellington.

After the death of Colonel Wm. H. Caldwell, his second wife, Bedy Jones Ellington went with her son, Benjamin Franklin Caldwell (C.49) and his wife to Texas. She was mentioned in several letters written by her son to kith and kin in Alabama. When she died or where buried, we do not know.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF WILLIAM H. CALDWELL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
TALLADEGA COUNTY) In the name of God Amen.

I, William H. Caldwell, of the above State and County, calling to mind the mortality of my Boddy, and being at this time of sound mind and memory, do make and and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form

following, hereby revoking all wills heretofore by me made.

FIRST, I committ my soul to God who gave it, and my Boddy to the care of my Executors to be decently burried.

SECONDLY, For and in consideration of the matinal love and affection which I bear to my wife Beady H. Caldwell with various other good and sufficient causes me hereunto moving, I do give and bequeath to her my whole Estate both real and personal, except the following legacies viz, I give to my daughter Jane Chamber five dollars. I give to Janeon Baskins five dollars. I give to Alvirah Young five dollars. I give to my son Benjamin Franklin five dollars and to my grand-children William and Jane Baskins five dollars.

THIRD, I do hereby constitute and appoint F.A. Bate, Levi Ellington, John J. Ellington Executors and my Beady H. Caldwell Executrix of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I do hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this 9th day of May in the year of our Lord 1835.

TEST: Titus Murry
Isaac Hudson
Philip Archer

/s/ WILLIAM H. CALDWELL

COCICIL: I give to my grand-children Clementine and Louisa Hewey five dollars.

/s/ WILLIAM H. CALDWELL

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PETITION TO PROBATE COURT OF TALLADEGA COUNTY, ALABAMA

TO: A. J. Cotton, Judge of Probate, in and for the County of Talladega, State of Alabama.

The undersigned respectfully present to your honor - the paper hereto attached marked Petition A, which purports and which states to be the last will and testament of WILLIAM H. CALDWELL, which bears date, and was executed on the 9th day of May 1835, in the County of Talladega, where the said Caldwell then resided and where he continued to reside up to the time of his death, which ocurred in the said County on the 29th day of October, 1855.

The said last will was witnessed by, Titus Murry, Isaac Hudson, Phillip Archer and the codicil thereto, on the same page, which is also herewith presented, was witnessed by Isaac Hudson, Titus Murry. The said Titus Murray is dead, and the said Phillip Archer resides in the County of Benton in said State. The said William H. Caldwell left the following named persons (who are his widow and children), his heirs at law, to wit.

The widow of said testate where named is Bedy Caldwell, who resides in Talladega County. William H. Caldwell who resides in the State of Georgia, Jane Chambers, formerly Jane Caldwell, her husband George Chambers, who resides in the State of Georgia. Alvirah Young formerly Alvirah Caldwell and her husband, Francis Young, who resides in the State of South Carolina. Benjamin Franklin Caldwell, who resides in the County of Talladega, Alabama, all of whom are over the age of 21 years.

Jane Young, formerly Jane Baskin, and the daughter of Amanda Baskin, who was the the daughter of said William H. Caldwell, (the said Amanda being dead) and Simpson Young, the husband of the said Jane, who resides in the State of Mississippi. The said Jane is over fourteen and under twenty-one years of age and her husband, the said Simpson is over twenty one years of age. Also Clementine and Louisa Hewey both of whom are now married, Clementine (?) who was the children of Elizabeth Hewey, formerly Elizabeth Caldwell and the daughter of said William H. Caldwell, who is now dead. The said Clementine and Louisa Hewey are over twenty-one years of age and reside in the State of South Carolina.

These above named next of kin, heirs to law of the said William H. Caldwell, who resided in the State of Alabama, are 1st - his widow Beady H. Caldwell and his son, Benjamin Franklin Caldwell, who are of full age and reside in Talladega County.

The following named persons are named in said will as the Executors and executives thereof.

TO WIT: F. A. Butt, Dewi Ellington, John J. Ellington, Beady H. Caldwell, Executrix, all of whom reside in the County of Talladega, except John J. Ellington, who resides in the State of Texas.

Petitioner presents said last will and testament with the Codicil thereon for probate in your Honor's Court and to that end asks that your Honor will set a day to hear said application; that legal notice be given to the next of kin, theirs at law of said application and that subpoenas issued to those of the subscribing witnesses, who are living and in duty bound, he will ever pray, etc.

/s/ DEWI ELLINGTON
by: Morgan Martin, His Attorney

I, Benjamin F. Caldwell, hereby accept sentence of the presentation of the foregoing petition, and await notice by the Sheriff and consent that the hearing of the application for the probate of the Will of William H. Caldwell due to be heard after the Probate Court of Talladega County at any time, so far as I am concerned, Dec. 10, 1855.

/s/ B. F. CALDWELL

TEST: A. J. Cotton, Judge of Probate

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B. 9. EZEKIEL CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell, A.1.)
b. , d. 1820, m. 5 December 1805, Sarah Shanklin.
Their Children: C.50, C.51, C.52, C.53, C.54.

Ezekiel and Sarah Shanklin Caldwell both died in 1820 in South Carolina. Sarah was the daughter of Thomas and Hannah Swearingen Shanklin.

They were married by Reverend Moses Waddell and their marriage is recorded in his journal, *A Register of the Marriages Celebrated & Solemnized by Moses Waddel, D.D. in South Carolina and Georgia, 1795 to 1836.*

Ezekiel Caldwell was left 150 acres of land on the east side of Little River, Abbeville District, South Carolina, by his father James Caldwell, A.l. Since there are no surviving deeds in Abbeville before the 1860's because of the courthouse burning, we have no way of knowing who now owns that land or when the heirs of Ezekiel Caldwell disposed of it.

ESTATE OF EZEKIEL CALDWELL, BOX 18 PACK. 385, PROBATE JUDGES OFFICE, ABBEVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT) *Know all men by these presents, that we, Alexander Hunter, Thomas Shanklin, Sen.r and John Power, Sen.r are holden and firmly bound unto Moses Taggart, Sen.r, Esquire, Ordinary for the District of Abbeville in the full and just sum of two thousand dollars lawful money of this State, to be paid to the said Moses Taggart, Sen.r or his successors, Ordinaries of this District, or their certain attorney or assigns. To which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, and every one of us, our and every of our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, for the whole, and in the whole, jointly and severally, firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty ninth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty.*

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That if the above bound Alexander Hunter Administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of EZEKIEL CALDWELL late of said district deceased, do make a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of the daid deceased, which have or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge of the said Alexander Hunter or into the hands or possession of any other oerson or persons for him and the same so made, do exhibit into the said Court of Ordinary, when he shall be thereunto required, and such goods, chattels and credits do well and truly administer according to lae, and do make a just and true account of his actings and doing therein when required by the said Court, and all the rest of the said goods, chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the account of the said administration, the same being first allowed of the said court, shall deliver and pay unto such persons respectively as are entitled to the same by law, and if it shall hereafter appear that any last will and testament was made by the deceased, and the same proved in Court, and the Executors obtain a certificate of the probate thereof and the Alexander Hunter do in such case, if required, render and deliver up the said Letters of Administration, then this Obligation to be Void, or else to remain in full force.

Sealed and Delivered */s/ A. HUNTER*
In the Presence of */s/ Thos. SHANKLIN*
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SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT) BY Moses Taggart Senr. Ordinary

WHEREAS, Alexr. Hunter Esquire has made suit to me to grant him letters of Administration of the estate and effects of EZEKIEL CALDWELL late of said District deceased.

THESE are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said EZEKIEL CALDWELL deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Ordinary, to be held at Abbeville, on Friday next after publication hereof, to shew cause, if any they have, why the said administration should not be granted.

GIVEN under my hand and seal, this Twenty second day of December in the year of our Lord 1820 and in the forty fifth year of American Independence.

/s/ MOSES TAGGART Senr.
O.A.D.

The within was Publickly read in my congregation at Rocky River Meeting house on Sunday the 24th day of December 1820.

I found no acctS. or notes due EZEKIEL CALDWELL decsd Wifes Estate, I found a note payable to Sarah Caldwell decsd the wife of Ezekiel bearing date on April 1820 & payable on the 10th of Jany 1821. Signd. by John Boyd for $43.00
Also a bill on the Augusta Bank for ten dollS. which I believe is hers 10.00
Also a note on ThoS. Shanklin for 16.00
$69.00

and on Enquiry have reason to believe that much of the goods and chattels mentioned in the Appraisement to which this schedule is annexed is the property or Estate of the wife of the said Ezekiel.

January 20th 1821

/s/ A. HUNTER
Admr.

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A TRUE INVENTORY AND APPRAISEMENT OF THE ESTATE OF EZEKL. CALDWELL DECSD. MADE 3d JANY. 1821:

1	Cupboard $9	9.00
1	Slab	12.00
1	Small walnut chest	1.00
6	Chairs $3 1 large walnut chest 1.75	4.75
1	Bed, bedstead & Furniture	30.00
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1	Check Reel $1.25 1 Lot cupboard furniture at $6.	7.25
1	Lot of Cotton Supposd. about 30.00 lbs at $3.25	
4	Barrel (old) 1 wash tub 1 Larg box	2.62½
1	Bushel Salt supposd.	1.25

1	ps Cotton baging 10 yds 25 cts	2.50
1	Lot of corn 31¼ cts pr bushel	-
4	Falling axes total $3.25 1 Cotton wheel $2	5.25
1	pair double trees & clevises	2.50
2	Pair hames & Traces $2 4 weeding hoes $3	5.00
2	Shovel & gofer Ploughs 2.50	2.50
1	Cuting knife & box 75 cts 1 Frow $1. 1 wedge 75 cts	2.75
1	Truck waggon 75 cts 1 Sorrel Horse $50.00	50.75
10	Head of fat hogs $50 3 sows & 12 shotes $35	85.00
1	Lot Fodder 43 3/4 cts pr. Cwt.	-
1	Loom, 2 Slays 1 pair harniss	6.00
1	Lot Sheep, suppos^{d} 16 ea. 1.25	20.00
1	Pair wool Chards & 1 pr Cotton Chards	1.12½
11	Head of Cattle $55.00 11 head geese $5.50	60.50
2	Pots 2 Ovens 1 Tea Kettle 1 Pot Rack	7.00
1	Wash Tub & 2 pails $2 1 Table 75 cts 1 Sifter $1.	3.75
1	Meal bag 1 tray 1 meal barrel $1.12½ 1 jarr 1 canister and 2 Small Wash Pans 87½	2.00
1	Iron pot $1.50 1 Lot spools $1. 1 Womans Saddle & bridle very old	4.25
2	Jugs 50	1.75

Given under our hands the day above mentioned

WM. H. CALDWELL
JOHN B. HUEY
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There was some wheat and a few other Articles which was omitted to be appraised (not being within my knowledge) they were all sold and Included in the acc^{t} of sales.

/s/ A. HUNTER
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JUDGE OF PROBATE - INVENTORY NO. 6 - ABBEVILLE COUNTY - PAGES 432-434: 1816-1824

AN ACCOUNT OF SALES OF THE ESTATE OF EZEKIEL CALDWELL & SARAH HIS WIFE DECS.D ON 10th JANUARY 1821:

Sold	Edmund Murray	1 Sorrel Horse	$41.50	41.50
Sold	James H. Hoskinson	1 Lot Corn 40 Bushels 47	18.80	
		1 ditto Fodder 5 cwt 79	3.85	
		balance fodder 274 lbs 77	2.11	74.84
Sold	Warren B. Johnson	1 Lot corn 40 Bushels 47	18.80	
		to rent for the Plantation one year	56.25	
		1 Lot cotton in field	1.50	
		1 Wire seive 1.12½ 1 meal bag 43 3/4	1.56½	
		balance shattered corn 18 bushels 26	4.68	82.79½

Sold Mary Stewart	1 Lot corn 36 bushels 50	$18.00		18.00
Sold Simeon Clay	1 Black, white hip.d sow	5.62½		5.62½
Sold Edward Tilman	1 Black sow $5.12½ 4 head sheep $1.12½ ea.	9.62½		
	13 Head Hogs, shoats 1.41	18.33		27.95½
Sold Willson Kennedy	1 Spoted sow $6.81¼ 2 plates & one lot pewter $2	8.81¼		8.81¼
Sold Christian Barnes	1 spoted sow & 7 shoats	9.31¼		
	1 Large Pot and books $1.37½	1.50		
	1 Shovel 12½			
	1 Large & 2 small jugs 50			
	4 Flour barrels $1	1.50		
	1 Weavers sley 8 $1. 6¼			
	1 Chest $1.01	2.07¼		14.38½
Sold Charles Dandy	2 Fat Hogs 1st choice $13.50			
	2 ditto 4th choice $10.25	23.75		
	1 Bed bedstead & furniture	16.75		40.50
Sold William Norris	2 Fat hogs 2nd choice $13.25			
	2 ditto 3d choice $13.	26.25		26.25
Sold John Kennedy	2 Fat hogs 5th choice	8.50		8.50
Sold William H. Caldwell	2 Clevises & double trees	.50		.50
Sold Thomas Shanklin	1 Old churn .12½ 1 Pot & Hooks $1.62½ 1 Small bedstead $1			
	To hire of a Negro woman 1 yr. $50.00 1 ditto $72.00			124.75
Sold James S. Harris	1 Box 1 sley 81¼ 1 lot spools			1.81¼
	Amount Bro.t over			$426.24¼
Sold John Thomas	2 Ploughs & 1 Bell .37½			
	1 Small pot 1.56¼			
	1 Loom & Tackling 4.00			
	1 Bedstead & Cord $1.50			
Sold Captain Samuel Q. Drinkwater	1 3/8 Bushels salt $2.06¼	9.12½		9.12½
	1 Lot cotton 4273 lbs at $4.10½ cts pr cwt	173.35		
	2 Old axes & 1 Curry Comb	.60		
Sold Alexander Hunter	1 Truck waggon 75 1 Frow	.87½		175.57½
	1 Iron Wedge $1			
	1 Pair hames & chains 1.37½	2.37½		
	1 Pail 1.25			
	1 Bed & furniture 8.50	9.75		
	1 Pitcher & decanter	.62½		
	10 Yds. Baging $2.30	6.92		
	6 Bushels wheat 77 cts pr.			
Sold John Boyd	1 Lot Wool 32 lbs 37½	12.00		31.67
Sold Rev. John P. Motte	1 Axe	2.00		2.00
	2 Good Hoes & 3 small ones	1.84¼		
	2 Old ovens & lid .25			
	1 Tea Kettle .06¼			
	1 Sad Iron .37½	.68 3/4		
	1 Shovel Plough & stock 87½			

Sold	Rev. John P. Motte	1	Gofer & stock .75		1.62½
		1	Cuting box & knife .25		
		1	Pair hames & chains 1.18 3/4		1.43 3/4
		1	Coffee Mill .12½ 1 Horse collar .06¼ 1 Pail .75		.93 3/4
		1	Walnut Table .81¼ 1 fan .18 3/4		
		1	Chest $2.06¼		3.06¼
		1	Water &c .56¼ 1 lot cupboard furniture .62½		1.18 3/4
		2	Bason & Water 1.81¼ 1 Tub .87½		2.68 3/4
Sold	John English	1	Tea Kettle		1.37½
Sold	Jourden Ramey	1	Large wheel & 2 pairs Chards		3.25
Sold	John Ramey	1	Brindled cow & calf		13.00
Sold	John Barnes	1	Black cow & calf	13.00	13.00
Sold	Uriah Baron	5	Baskets .68 3/4		
		1	Jar .62½		1.31¼
Sold	John McMurtary	1	Tray, canister, 2 pails .62½		
		1	Lot fodder 500 lbs .78	3.90	4.52½
Sold	Miss Elizabeth Caldwell	1	Small chest .62½		
		1	Bridle & womans saddle (old) .25		
		1	Bed, bedstead & furniture	20.00	30.87½
			Carried forward		$746.45
			Amount brot. forward		$746.45
Sold	Robert Richie	2	Cups & candlesticks	.31¼	.31¼
Sold	Betsey Harris widow	1	cupboard $10.25		
		1	Moiley cow $12.00	22.25	22.25
Sold	Michael Smith	6	Chaires 162½	3.75	3.75
Sold	William Stewart	11	Head geese .50	5.50	5.50
Sold	Thomas Montgomery	(this line torn)			
		1	Small black Moiley hfr	2.25	
		1	Small white stear	1.12½	
		1	Spotted heifer	6.75	27.12½
Sold	Thomas Johnson	1	Lot Fodder 5 cwt .78	3.90	3.90
Sold	Daniel W. Tilman	4	Head sheep 1.12½	4.50	4.50
Sold	John Howie	1	Drawing knife	.50	.50
			Total Amount Sales		$814.torn

I do hereby certify that the above or within contains a correct and true account of the sales of Ezekiel and Sarah Caldwell's Estate according to the best of my knowledge & belief.

/s/ A. HUNTER, Admr.

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The administrator begs leave to observe that the above acct of sales is, or a considerable part thereof the property of Sarah Caldwell decd. that she held thro a third portion, Independent, of her husband and the Rent and hire of the negroes, belonged Exclusively to their children on the decease of the Parents.

/s/ A. HUNTER, Admr.

DR THE ESTATE OF EZEKIEL AND SARAH CALDWELL DECSD IN ACCT. WITH ALEXANDER HUNTER ADMINISTRATOR:

1821 Dec. 26	To Casn paid Jno. Cameron for crying vandue	4.00
1822 Jan. 9	To Cash paid Jno. Wimbush pro. acct.	36.00
	To Cash paid Thomas Shanklin on acct. of Thos. Caldwell for boarding & necessaries	49.31½
	To Cash paid him as above for Joseph Caldwell	50.06¼
	To Cash paid him on dec.d of Elizabeth 19.65 & 16.25	35.90
Feb. 20	To Cash paid Gideon Johnson pro. acct. vs Ezekiel $1.25 Sarah $1.25	2.50
		177.77½
Mar. 20	To Cash paid pro. acct. due John Evans vs. Ezekiel $31.75 Sarah 21.68 3/4	
	To Cash paid Allen Gillespie pro. acct.	8.05
	To Cash paid John English for Sarah's coffin	6.00
	To Cash paid John W. McKinley pro. acct.	6.56½
	To Cash paid John W. McKinley for winding sheet for Sarah	3.50
		77.55
	To Cash paid John W. McKinley on acct of goods got by Elizabeth for use of yᵉ Family	5.75
	To 4½ gallons whiskey for sale found by Thomas Shanklin .75	3.37½
	To Cash paid an Execution in favour of James Hutchison $26.12½ bal. due $787½	34.00
	To Cash paid Miss Martha Long for services rendered ye Family previous to ye sale	5.00
	To Cash paid Peter G. McMullin for resurveying the land & plat of the same	5.00
	To Amt. due myself (retained) for Tuition in 1821 say for Elizabeth 4 mo. $4.00	
	Joseph Caldwell 8 mo. $8.00	20.00
	Thomas Caldwell 8 mo. $8.00	1.00
	To 1 Dictionary purchased for Joseph in Augusta	
	To amt. pd. Jno. Thomas for goods for Elizabeth as pr bill	25.93¼
	To goods purchased in Augusta for Elizabeth pr bill	4.75
	To goods bot. for Elizabeth at Court House pr bill	11.12½
	To cash paid Elizabeth pr Jos. V. Shanklin Esquire as per order March Term 1822	15.00
		77.81¼
	To amt. of an acct. due by Ezekiel & Estate to Alex Hunter	8.00
June 3	To Cash paid Adam Hill pro. acct.	19.43 3/4
Aug. 5	To Cash paid A. Milligan pro. acct. vs Sarah 4.66 3/4 Ezekiel 2.96¼	7.63
1823 Feb. 21	To Amot. paid Wm. McMullin pro acct. as admr. of the Estate of Sam[l] Harris descd	30.00
Mar. 19	To Cash paid Dr. Jesse C. Bouchell bill	28.75
	To Cash paid Thos. J. Gregory for Tuition of Joseph 1822	3.00
	To Cash paid Elijah Trimble pro. acct.	5.18 3/4

April 12	To Cash paid Elizabeth pr orders sent by mail	20.00
July	To Cash paid Ermine Case for Tuition Joseph 1823	6.00
		$128.00½
	Balance $81.93	
		$514.26 3/4

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CREDIT

1822	By amount rec.d of Warren B. Johnson $82.79¼		
	deduct paid him for repairs of the		
	Plantation as pr agreement	$75.82	
		6.97¼	6.97¼
	By Cash rec.d of Simeon Clay		5.62½
	By " " of Edward Tilman		27.95½
	By " " of Christian Barnes		14.38½
	By " " of Charles Dandy		40.50
	By " " of William Norris		26.26
			121.68 3/4
	By " " of John Kennedy		8.50
	By " " of William H. Caldwell		.50
	By " " of Thomas Shanklin		124.75
	By " " of James S. Harris		1.81¼
	By " " of John Thomas		9.12½
	By " " of John Boyd		2.00
	By " " of the Rev.d John P. Motte		13.43 3/4
			160.12½
	By " " of John English		1.37½
	By " " of Jourdin Ramey		16.25
	By " " of John Ramey		13.06¼
	By " " of Uriah Baron		20.43¼
	By " " of Robert Richie		.31¼
	By " " of Michael Smith		3.75
			56.50
	By " " of Thomas Montgomery		27.12½
	By " " of Thomas Johnson		3.90
	By " " of Daniel W. Tilman		4.50
	By " " of John Howie		.50
	By " " of Edm.d Murray prin $41.50 Int 50		42.00
	By " " of James H. Hoskinson		24.86
	By " " of John Boyd his note to Sarah Caldwell(the 29 Jan 1821)		43.00
1823 March	By " " of Mary Stewart prin $18. Int. $1.		19.00
	By " " of Col. Samuel Q. Drinkwater in pt.		93.00
			257.88½
			$596.19 3/4

B.10 THOMAS CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell A.1)
b. ca 1777, Abbeville District, SC.
d. before 1870, Newton County, MS.
m. 14 January 1807, Abbeville District, SC.
To: Mary Ward.
Their Children: C.55, C.56, C.57, C.58, C.59, C.60
C.61, C.62, C.63, C.64.

Mary Ward was the daughter of Joseph and Agnes Boles Ward. Her sister, Jane Young Ward, married James Caldwell (B.2) who was a nephew of Thomas Caldwell (B.10). Joseph Ward's will was dated 13 March 1796, proved 26 March 1798, leaving to his wife, Agnes, his plantation, tools and stock; his daughters, Mary and Jane, equal parts; brother Peter Ward, five pounds sterling; executors, William Ward, Francis Carlile; Witnesses, Thomas Adams and David Welch.

B.11 _____ CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Caldwell A.1)
b. d. before 1804, m. _____ Kerr.
Their Children: C.65.

In his will, James Caldwell (A.1), leaves to Elizabeth Harris Kerr whom we feel was his granddaughter, child of his daughter, (B.11), and her husband _____Kerr. Nothing further is known of this family by the author.

B.12 WILLIAM HARRIS CALDWELL (Son of John Caldwell A.2)
b. d. m. 16 February 1794,
To: Elizabeth Carrothers.
Their Children: C.66.

He married Elizabeth Carrothers in Cabarrus County, NC. They had one son, John Carrothers Caldwell (C.66), born about 1821 who married his first cousin, Elizabeth Black, daughter of Robert and Mary Caldwell Black. The account of this family can be found in The Practical Dreamer, by Warren.

B.13 DAVID CALDWELL (Son of John Caldwell A.2)
b. d. m. , Hannah Pickens.

The marriage of David Caldwell to Hannah Pickens is found in Pickens Families of the South, by Reverend E. M. Sharp.
They are thought to have moved to Hog Mountain, Gwinnett Co., Georgia, She was the daughter of John and Sarah Swearingen Pickens.

B.14 ISABELLA CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Caldwell A.2)
b. 4 January 1776, d. 5 October 1819 m. Andrew Pickens.
Their Children: C.67, C.68, C.69, C.70, C.71, C.72.

Andrew Pickens was the son of John and Mary Pickens. They are both buried in Pioneer Cemetery, Greenville, Alabama.

B.15 JAMES CALDWELL (Son of John Caldwell A.2)
b. 22 September 1777, d. 21 December 1871.
m.
To: Margaret Hamilton.
Their Children:

She was the daughter of Andrew and Abigail Green Hamilton. He was a soldier in the War of 1812 and died in Lafayette County, Georgia.

For an account of this family see, Caldwell Chronicles, Vol. I, pages 13-18.

B.16 ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Caldwell A.2)
b. d. m.
To: _____Kolb (Robb?)
Their Children:

B.17 MARY CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Caldwell A.2)
b. d. m. about 1793
To: Robert Black.
Their Children: C.73.

She married Robert Black in Cabarrus County, NC. A note attached to the license says "My worthy friend, Grant Robert Black a license to intermarry my granddaughter Mary Caldwell and will all that is needed. Yr compliance will oblige yr friend." /s/ Robert Harris to the Clerk of Cabarrus, Feby 1793.

B.18 JANE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Caldwell A.2)
b. d. m.
To: Joseph Hamilton.
Their Children:

B.19 ANDREW CALDWELL (Son of John Caldwell A.2)
b. d. m.
To:
Their Children:

B.20 DAVID DAVIS (Son of Mary Caldwell A.3)
b. d. m.
To:
Their Children:

B.21 JOHN DAVIS (Son of Mary Caldwell A.3)
b. d. m.
To:
Their Children:

B. 22. JOSEPH DAVIS (Son of Mary Caldwell A.3.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 23. JAMES DAVIS (Son of Mary Caldwell A.3.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 24. ANN DAVIS (Daughter of Mary Caldwell A.3.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children:

B. 25. MARY DAVIS (Daughter of Mary Caldwell A.3.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 26. ISABELLA DAVIS (Daughter of Mary Caldwell A.3.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 27. ANN HARRIS (Daughter of Isabella Caldwell A.4.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 28. WILLIAM HARRIS (Son of Isabella Caldwell A.4.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 29. _____HARRIS (Son of Isabella Caldwell A.4.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 30. _____HARRIS (Daughter of Isabella Caldwell A.4.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 31. _____HARRIS (Daughter of Isabella Caldwell A.4.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

B. 32. ANN CALDWELL (Daughter of David Caldwell A.6.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

Nothing is known about Ann Caldwell except that she was left a plantation by her grandfather David Caldwell in his will (1781).

B. 33. DAVID WHITE (son of _____Caldwell A.7.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Their Children: unknown

It is believed that he married his cousin Ann Caldwell (B.32).

C. 1. THOMAS LESLEY (Son of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 12 May 1780 d. 31 July 1784

C. 2. JAMES LESLEY (Son of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 8 August 1782 d. 9 August 1808, m. , Eliza
Their Children: none

C. 3. JOHN HARRIS LESLEY (Son of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 11 February 1784 d. 31 July 1855
Their Children: unknown

C. 4. JANE LESLEY (Daughter of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 1 February 1786 d. 2 August 1807, m.
Their Children: unknown

C. 5. ROBERT HALL LESLEY (Son of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 14 September 1787, d. 9 April 1847

C. 6. ELIZABETH LESLEY (Daughter of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 1 December 1789, d. 17 August 1807

C. 7. ANN LESLEY (Daughter of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 7 November 1791, d. 4 January 1863

C. 8. WILLIAM LESLEY (Son of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 25 April 1793, d. 9 February 1867

C. 9. THOMAS LESLEY (Son of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 16 June 1795, d. 4 April 1829

C. 10 DAVID LESLEY (Son of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 15 June 1797, d. 9 February 1854

C. 11. EZEKIEL LESLEY (Son of Ann Caldwell B.l.)
b. 1 March 1799, d. 2 October 1803

The names and dates for these Lesley children are in the LESLEY FAMILY BIBLE now owned by Mrs. J. L. Leslie, Abbeville, South Carolina, (1964)

Also in the Bible are the following names and dates: Martha Leslie Norris, b. 17 May 1854, Lucie Rich Norris, b. 9 Dec. 1856, William A. Montgomery, b. 5 April 1857, William Edwin Lesly, b. 7 March 1857, Annie Donald Henry, b. 8 Sept. 1873.

C. 12 JAMES CALDWELL (Son of John Caldwell B.2.)
b. 1785, d. July 1842, m. , Jane Young Ward.
Their Children: D.1, D.2, D.3, D.4, D.5, D.6, D.7, D.8, D.9.

James Caldwell married Jane Young Ward, daughter of Joseph Ward and Agnes Boles. Jane Young Ward's sister married Thomas Caldwell (B.10.), who was named Mary Ward.

ESTATE OF JAMES CALDWELL BOX 23 PACK. 523 PROBATE JUDGES OFFICE, ABBEVILLE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA:

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT) KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT WE, William H. Harris, John G. Caldwell (C.16.), & William H. Caldwell (C.17.) are held firmly bound unto David Lesly Esq. Ordinary of the district aforesaid, in the full and just sum of Twenty four thousand dollars, good and lawful money of the said State to be paid to the said David Lesly his successors Ordinaries of this District, or their certain attorney or assigns, to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, and every of us, our, and every of our heirs, executors and administrators, for the whole and in the whole jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our Seals, and dated the twenty eighth day of November Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty two and in the sixty seventh year of American Independence.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, THAT IF THE ABOVE bound William H. Harris Administrator of the goods, chattels, and credits of James Caldwell deceased, do make a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels, and credits of the said deceased, which have or shall come to the hands possession, or knowledge of the said William H. Harris or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him and the smae so made, do exhibit into the said Court of Ordinary, for Abbevile District when they shall be thereunto required, and such goods, chattels, and credits do well and truly administer according to law, and do make a just and true account of his actings and doings therein when required by the Court, and all the rest of the said goods, chattels, and credits which shall be found remaining upon the account of the said administration, (the same being first allowed by the said Court), shall deliver and pay unto such persons respectively as are entitled to the same by law, and if it shall hereafter appear, that any last will and testament was made by the said deceased, and the same be proved in Court, and the Executors obtain a certificate of the probate thereof, and the said William H. Harris in such case if required, do render and deliver up the said letters of administration, then this Obligation to be void, or else to remain in full force.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered
In the Presence of
D. O. Mecklin

Wm. H. Harris (LS)

John G. Caldwell (LS)

Wm. H. Caldwell (LS)

SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT) I, Nathaniel J. Davis, Administrator of the Estate of Jane Y. Caldwell Deceased, do hereby acknowledge that I found a note of the following description amongst the papers of said deceased. A Note$3800.00 signed J. Y. Caldwell & W. H. Caldwell, dated 1st January 1844, and witnessed by D.O. Mecklin, with a credit of $2057.11 cts. 4 March 1846 and given to W. H. Harris Admin. Estate of James Caldwell, Deceased.

Jn.° G. Baskin W. J. Davis

December 14th 1850

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SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT) To David Lesly Ordinary
The Petition of William H. Harris sheweth that he has administered on the Estate of James Caldwell dec.d That there is a widdow and nine children, some of whom are Minors. Your Petitioner thinks it best to obtain an order for the sale of the whole personal Estate & prays an order be granted him for that purpose. & as in duty bound will ever pray &c.

28 Nov. 1842 Wm. H. Harris

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IN THE ORDINARYS OFFICE, 3 March 1846) SETTLEMENT OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES CALDWELL DECEASED:

Present W. H. Harris Administrator represented by Mr. Perrin his attorney and D. O. Mecklin & William H. Caldwell (C.17.) Junior represented by Mr. Thomson. James Caldwell died July 1842.

Advancements

To W. H. Harris & wife		$855.00
J. J. Caldwell (D.1.)		615.00
Sam.l T. Caldwell (D.2.)		1125.00
D. O. Mecklin & wife		750.00
		3335.00
	9)	7449.24
		827.69

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SOUTH CAROLINA)
ABBEVILLE DISTRICT) To David Lesly Ordinary
The Petition of William H. Harris sheweth that he is the son in law of Jas. Caldwell, who lately departed this life Intestate, & is requested by the widdow to administer thereon, your Petr. prays that his fitness & the propriety of granting him a citation & letters, be taken

into consideration that the citation be granted, and as in duty bound will ever pray &c.

14th Nov. 1842

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BILL OF APPRAISEMENT OF PROPERTY OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES CALDWELL DEC.D.

Twelve chairs a 37½ each	4.50
Six winder Do a $1.00 Do	6.00
Four brass candlesticks a	2.00
One clock a	8.00
One small table	1.00
One gilt framed looking glass a	2.00
One walnut desk a	4.00
One lot of books of 80 vols a	25.00
One Bead, bedstead and furniture a	18.00
Trundle bed	5.00
One Bed, bedstead and furniture a	18.00
" " " "	18.00
One small pine table a	.62½
One walnut chest a	5.00
One small looking glass a	.50
One Fine Bedstead, bed and furniture a	23.00
Dressing table and glass a	1.50
One Hald round table a	1.00
One Folding " a	7.00
A lot of Crockery a	4.00
One Large and one small waiter a	2.00
One lot of andirons	4.50
One Coffee mill and coffee pot a	1.50
One Small walnut chest a	5.00
One Walnut cupboard and contents a	58.00
One Bras (word not plain) pot	4.00
One Cherry Table a	3.00
One lot of bottles a	1.50
One " smoothing irons a	1.25
One small pine box a	.25
One " " " a	.75
Two shot guns a	8.00
" stone jars and one jug a	.75
" Sheep shears a	.50
One barrel and corn a	.50
" small barrel a	.37½
" Carding machine a	5.00
" Lot of Spools and basket	2.00
" " Slates	.37½
" Lot boxes	1.50
" " Plains a	2.00
" Side saddle a	7.00
" Lot of barrels and boxes a	1.00
" Set riddles	1.00

One Tin bucket a	.50
" Box of glass and Putty a	4.00
" Barrels and basket a	.50
" Wheat Sieve a	.75
" Sythes and Cradles a	6.00
" Brass bound bucket and pan	1.25
" 2 stone jars	1.50
" Lot of Barrels and tray a	.75
" Loom, spool fram and shuttles a	3.00
" Lot of Harness and Stavs a	4.00
" Lot Pails, tray and churn a	1.50
" Walnut Table a	1.00
" Common Walnut Cupboard a	2.00
" Lot of Pots, ovens and kettle a	10.00
" Lot Potrack, andirons and shovel a	5.00
" Lot of wash tubs a	.87½
" Lot of 3 Meat Tables a	.50
" " Soap troughs a	.75
" " Meat Tubs a	1.75
2 Salt Barrels a	.75
Warping Bars a	1.00
Six ten gallon cag a	3.00
1 Lot of jars and jugs a	10.00
Boxes and barrels a	1.00
Large Pot	1.25
1 Pair Steelyards a	1.00
Lot of Reels wheels and swifts	5.00
Shoe bench and tools a	.50
1 Pine table a	1.00
Half bushel measure a	.50
Carding Machine	5.00
1 Lot of Barrels, in the work house	1.00
Pees pr bushel a	.50
5 Spinning wheels	9.00
2 Baskets a	.50
7 Beestands, bees &c	8.00
2 Banks of Potatoes	1.00
3 Large barrels in saddle house a	.50
4 Pair plow geers a	4.00
3 " hames a	1.00
1 Side saddle a	1.50
3 Blind bridles a	.75
1 Road wagon and harness a	40.00
1 Wheel and hob a	4.00
1 Pair Stretchers and log chain	2.00
Corn pr bushel	.37
Fodder pr hundred	.37
" second quality	.25
3 Pens of husks a	6.00
1 Horse a	5.00
6 Cows and calves a	46.00
12 Head of Cattle	36.00
1 Bay horse a	65.00

1	Sorrell Mare a	1.00
1	Bay Mare a	50.00
1	Gray Mare a	50.00
1	Gray Horse a	50.00
1	Cotten Gin and band at	35.00
1	Wheat fan a	20.00
"	Thrasher a	20.00
Cotton seed by bushel a		.10
"	" Common a	.08
1	old gin a	1.00
18	Baskets a 25 cts	4.50
1	Garner a	5.00
Wheat pr bushel		1.00
Oats pr Doz a		.18
Rye " bushel		1.00
1	Hogshead in Barn	.50
Pork pr hundred lbs		2.25
Geese pr head a		.37½
Lot	Stock hogs a	87.50
"	Cotton hoes a	2.50
"	Mattocks a	2.50
"	Shovels and spades a	2.00
"	Axes 8 in number a	8.50
1	Broad axe a	2.00
Lot	old hoes and iron wedges a	.75
1	Grindstone	.50
1	Lot Plow gears a	4.00
1	Bar of iron and 2 jointers	1.25
1	Lot augers, Drawing knife &c	4.00
"	" Sundries a	2.00
2	Jack plows a	1.00
4	Gophers singletrees &c	6.00
1	Lot of old plows a	1.25
2	Harrows a	3.00
2	Brier hooks	1.00
1	Lot of Flour barrel staves	1.80
2	Beef hides	3.75
1	Set of Black smith tools a	25.00
1	Tea Kettle	1.00
18	Sheep and 2 lambs a	20.00
1	Lot of bed clothing a	23.00
8	Meal bags a	2.00
5	Padlocks a	2.50
1	Cross cut Saw a	2.50
1	pr Stretchers a	4.00
1	old ax a	.75
Cart and oxen		47.00
1	Frow & Crobar a	1.50
1	one horse wagon a	15.00
1	Negro man named June aged 43 yrs	500.00
"	" " " John " 36. 6 mo	500.00
"	" " " Sigh " 35. 1 "	600.00
"	" " " Gilbert 31.	575.00

1	Negro woman named	Isabella & 2 child.	aged	29.	650.00
1	" " "	Amy	"	27.	450.00
1	Negro man "	Jerry	"	25.3 mo	550.00
1	" woman "	Agness	"	23.3 mo	400.00
1	" man "	Anderson	"	20.6 mo	600.00
1	" " "	Sam	"	18.4 "	600.00
1	" " "	Nelson	"	31.	500.00
1	" " "	Jackson	"	13	400.00
1	" woman "	Maria & 2 children			600.00
1	" " "	Lucy Ann	"	12.6	375.00
1	" " "	Lucinda	"	11	300.00
1	" " "	Milly	"	9	300.00
1	" man "	Jack	"	5.4	250.00
		Jack and Lucy old Negroes			100.00

/s/ Wm. H. Caldwell Appraiser

Bartley Tucker

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ACCOUNTS OF SALES OF JAMES CALDWELL DECEASED:

NAMES		GOODS BT	$ CTS
Wm. H. Harris	12	Chairs at 25	3.00
do "	6	Windsor chairs $1.00	6.00
do do	4	Candlesticks	1.50
do "	1	clock	6.00
" "	1	Walnut table	1.00
" "	1	Looking Glass	2.00
" "	1	Walnut Desk	3.50
" "	1	Lot Books	20.00
" "	1	Bed & Furniture	18.00
" "	1	do do	18.00
" "	1	Trunnel Bed	4.00
Dr. W. R. Sanders	1	Bed & Furniture	11.50
Jas. Pearson	1	Bed & Furniture	13.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Table & Cover	.50
"	1	Walnut chest	5.00
"	1	Glass	.25
"	1	Bed bedstead & Furniture	15.00
"	1	Table & Looking Glass	1.50
"	1	Half round table & cover	.25
"	1	Walnut table & cover	5.00
"	2	Waiters 50	1.00
"	1	Lot Crockery	2.00
"	1	Walnut Cupboard & contents	40.00
"	1	Walnut chest	3.00
"	1	Brass Kettle	3.50
"	1	Box	.12
"	5	Smoothing irons	1.00

Wm. H. Harris	1	Lott Bottles	
E. Speed	1	Cherry Table	.50
Wm. H. Harris	3	pr Fire Dogs	2.75
"	1	Coffee mill & Pot	2.00
"	1	Shot Gun	1.00
John English	1	do do (no lock)	2.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Carding Machine	3.56¼
"	1	Lott Plains	5.31¼
"	1	Barrel	2.00
"		Spools & Basket	.12½
"	2	Slates	1.00
"	2	Boxes	.25
"		Bed Clothing	1.00
"	1	Side saddle & Blank	15.00
"	1	Wheat Sieve	6.00
A. Oliver	1	Tin Bucket	.75
Wm. H. Harris	1	box Glass & Puttey	.25
"	2	Riddles	2.81¼
"	1	Bucket & Pan	.25
"		Meal Barrels & Trays	1.00
"		Loom, Spool Frame &c	.75
"	1	Lot Harness & staves	2.50
"		Water Pails &c	3.00
"		Walnut Table	1.00
"		Cupboard	.50
"	1	Pot ware	2.00
"		Pot & Fire Dogs &c	6.00
"		Meal Table	4.00
E. Speed	1	Lot meal Bags	.25
Wm. H. Harris	1	Wash Pot	1.00
"	1	Lot tubs	1.50
"	2	Meat tubs	.50
"	1	do	1.00
"	1	Lot Troughs	.25
"	2	salt Barrels	.12½
"	1	pr Warping Bars	.50
John Tennant	1	do do	.50
Wm. H. Harris	2	10 Gal. Kegs	.06¼
A. Oliver	1	Vinegar Keg	.50
Wm. H. Harris	1	Lot jars	.50
"	1	Lot Barrels & Boxes	1.43
"	1	Large Pot (dye)	.12
"	2	Barrels 50	1.00
"	1	Lot Jars & Pitchers &c	1.00
"	2	New Wheels (spinning)	5.00
Nath. Norwood	2	do do No. 2	5.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Spinning wheel	2.12
Wm. Caldwell		Reel small wheel & shifts	1.50
Wm. H. Harris	1	small wheel	2.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	steelyards	1.50
Wm. C. Cozby	1	Lot shoe tools	.75
	1	Carding Machine	.25
			5.00

Wm. H. Harris	1	Half Bushel	.37½
"	1	Lott Barrels	.50
"	1	Pine Table	.50
"	7	Bee stands	5.00
"	1	bank sweet Potatoes	1.00
"	1	Lot Plough Gear	4.75
John Tennant	1	Lot Do Hames Gear &c	1.31¼
Wm. H. Harris	1	Side Saddle	2.00
Maj. L. Harper	3	large Barrels a 25	.75
Wm. H. Caldwell Jr.	1	Road Waggon & Harness	33.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Cart wheel & Hub	1.00
"	1	pr stretchers	1.00
"	1	Do. do ' for Gin)	1.00
"	1	Lot Hoes 4	1.00
B. Allen	4	do do	.37½
"	6	weeding hoes	.25
Wm. H. Harris	1	Mattock & sprouting hoe	1.25
Q. C. Harper	1	Lot Mattocks	.56¼
Wm. H. Harris		Shovel & spade	1.37½
"	2	Shovels & Spade	.06¼
"	2	Patent Axes	1.50
"	2	Do Do	1.50
"	2	Do Do	1.50
Nath. Norwood	2	Do Do (pine)	1.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Broad Axe	1.00
Wm. Yarbrough	2	Plains	1.00
Wm. Speed	1	Grind Stone & Hoops	.68
John Tennant	1	Lot old Hoes & Wedges	.81¼
E. Speed	2	Half Shovels	1.12½
Wm. Yarbrough	3	Shovel Ploughs	1.06¼
Wm. H. Harris	3	Shovels & Gofer	1.00
Wm. Yarbrough	5	Gofers & Shovel	.63½
Jas. M. Speed		Buzzard Gofer & Shovel	1.62½
Q. C. Harper	2	Buzzards	1.12½
Nath. Norwood	1	Bar Iron	1.00
Wm. H. Harris	2	Jointers	.25
"	2	Briar Hooks	.50
"	1	Curriers Knife	1.50
"	1	Lot Augurs	1.50
Jno. G. McCallister	1	Lot Coopers Sundries	.62½
Wm. H. Harris		Basket & Sundries	1.00
J. C. Harper	1	Lot Jack Plows	.37½
Wm. H. Harris	4	Ploughs & singletree	4.00
Charles P. Allen	1	Lot Ploughs &c	.62½
R. M. Davis	1	Harrow	.62½
"	1	do	.68
Wm. H. Harris	1	do	.50
Archb.d Mauldin Jr.	1	Small Waggon	13.12½
Wm. H. Harris	1	Lot Blacksmiths Tools	22.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Vice	.25
"	3	Hides	2.50
"	1	Tar Kettle	.06¼

Wm. H. Harris	1	Lot wheat per Bush 75	22.50
"	1	Garner	3.00
"	1	Old Cotton Gin	.25
"	1	Cotton Gin & Band	30.00
"	1	Wheat Fan	15.00
"	1	Thrasher	15.00
John Tennant	1	Doz. Hampers	1.50
Wm. H. Harris	1	Doz. (a balance) 12	1.50
"	1	Pile Cotton Seed at 6¼ pr Bus	6.00
"	1	Pen do do at 5 c pr Bush	5.00
A. Oliver	1	do do do at 3 c pr Bush	9.00
Wm. H. Harris		Oats pr Doz a 10 c	6.25
"	1	Lot Rye pr. Bush a 50 c	3.00
E. Speed	1000 lbs Fodder at 41 c p. hund.		4.10
T. Lomax	Balance Do a 27 c p. hund.		
Wm. H. Harris	1	Hh.d	.25
"	10	Peas pr Bush 40 c	4.00
"	1	Grey Horse (Jim)	45.00
"	1	Bay Horse (Jack)	65.00
"	1	Sorrel Mare (Toga)	5.06¼
J. J. Caldwell	1	Grey Mare (Kit)	50.00
R. B. Cater	1	Bay Filly	46.50
R. M. Davis	3	lbs Pork Hogs a $2.82 per hundred	16.92
Wm. Yarbrough	3	Pork Hogs Lot No. 2 $2.91 c	17.46
"	3	D.o D.o N.o 3 $2.92	17.52
"	3	" " N.o 4 $2.94	17.64
R. M. Davis	2	" " N.o 5 a 2.93	11.72
Wm. H. Harris	5	Sheep Lot n.o 1 pr head $1,00	5.00
"	5	" " 2 $1.00	5.00
Thos. L. Harris	3	" " 3 $1.00	3.00
John English	4	" " 4 $1.00	4.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Lot Barrels	.50
"	1	Crowbar & Frow	1.00
"	1	Cross cut Saw	4.00
"	1	Scythe & cradle	2.00
"	1	do	2.00
Wm. H. Caldwell	1	do	1.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	White Bull	5.00
R. M. Davis	1	Dun Steer	5.62½
Wm. H. Harris	1	Muley Cow & calf	5.62½
Alex. Black	1	Dun Cow & calf (huldy)	4.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Small black bull	2.50
"	1	Red & white Bull	1.00
"	1	Red cow (white face)	8.00
R. D. Johnston	1	small red steer	2.50
Thos. L. Harris	1	small red & white heifer	1.00
Wm. H. Harris	1	Red cow & calf (Sid)	10.00
"	1	Red muley heifer (motley)	2.00
Garrison Crenshaw	1	Black cow & calf	8.62½
John Baskin		Jack & Lucy	200.00
Wm. H. Harris		June	510.00
John A. Speer		John	525.00

Williamson Norwood	Sigh	501.00
Wm. Caldwell Jur.	Nelson	430.00
Wm. H. Harris	Amy	381.00
Joseph Baker	Isabel & 2 children	927.00
Wm. C. Cozby	Jerry	600.00
Wm. H. Harris	Esther	310.00
Maj. L. Harper	Anderson	701.00
Stephen Jones	Sam	686.00
Wm. H. Harris	Jackson	460.00
"	Lucy Ann	425.00
J.J. Caldwell	Agnes	487.00
Wm. H. Harris	Gilbert	551.00
"	Lucinda	305.00
"	Milley	306.00
Joseph Baker	Jack	251.00
Wm. H. Harris	Mariah & 2 children	707.00
"	Lucy & child	360.00
J. J. Caldwell	Eleven	306.00
"	Martha	225.00
		$10194.00

/s/ Jas. T. Baskin

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James Caldwell (C.12.) apparently became a very successful farmer by the time of his death in July 1842 as evidenced by the size of his estate. At his death he owned 22 slaves, 18 head of cattle, a yoke of oxen, 6 horses, 14 head of hogs, 17 head of sheep, along with the usual farm emplements.

His household goods were probably average or above average for the day. He owned 18 chairs, 6 of which were "Windsor" chairs valued above the usual price for "homemade" chairs, a clock, 4 candlesticks, a looking glass, several pieces of walnut furniture, 6 beds and bedsteads, a coffee mill and pot, 2 shot guns, a collection of crockery and pots and pans.

His farming utinsels included numerous plows, harrows and harness. Cotton was obviously a staple crop since we see listed cotton cards, cotton gins, etc., spinning wheels and equipment for making woolen cloth

The salt barrels, meat tubs and various jugs, kegs and jars indicate that he probably preserved pork and beef by "putting them down" in jars. He had a lot of shoe tools for repairing the family's shoes.

Apparently the female members of his family sometimes rode horseback as we see listed a side saddle.

The "lot of coopers sundries" suggests that he had the capability of making his own barrels. The 7 bee stands provided the family with their sugar

James Caldwell raised a variety of grain crops, wheat for bread, rye for either bread or possibly the "Irish Rye Whiskey" of his forefathers, corn for bread and livestock feed. Using the scythes to cut the grain, they shocked it to dry before threshing, winnowed out the dirt and extraneous material with the Wheat Fan, crushed the grain and sifted it through the Wheat Sieve.

His farm was no doubt typical of the Up-Country South Carolina farm of

period, almost completely self-sufficient.

Apparently, James Caldwell was fairly well-read since his inventory incluses 80 books. For that day and time in the back country of South Carolina this was an unusually large library. Some of these books he probably bought at the sale of his father's estate (B.2.) and some he no doubt purchased himself.

Many changes occured in farming practices in the piedmont region of South Carolina from 1750 to 1820. During the early period it consisted primarily of subsistence farming with little produce grown for sale outside the region. Basic crops for trade and barter during this era were tobacco, hemp and flax.

Following the upheaval caused by the American Revolution, tobacco became the main staple crop of the region reaching an export highpoint in 1799. Because of its poor quality, it was soon abandoned around the turn of the century for cotton.

The dominance of cotton was delayed by the embargoes of the War of 1812 and by the economic dislocations of the Napoleonic Era. However, from 1820 until the outbreak of the Civil War, Cotton was King and the slave population of the region increased dramatically.

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C. 13. JANE CALDWELL (Dgtr. of John Caldwell B.2.)
b. about 1787, d. , m. 15 November 1810,
To: Stephen Jones.
Their Children: unknown.

Jane Caldwell was married to Stephen Jones by the Reverend Moses Waddel and the marriage is recorded in, *A Register of Marriages Celebrated and Solemnized by Moses Waddel, D.D. in South Carolina and Georgia*.

Nothing is known about this family except that on 21 August 1841 Stephen Jones was paid as one of the legatees of John Caldwell (B.2.), deceased, when his estate was settled after the death of John Caldwell's widow, Elizabeth Thompson Caldwell.

C. 14. ELIZABETH ANN HARRIS CALDWELL (Dgtr. of John Caldwell B.2.)
b. about 1789, d. 1851, m. 31 October 1807,
To: John Speer.
Their Children: Eliza Speer, William A. Speer, Jane C. Speer, Martha Speer, John D. Speer, Elizabeth Speer, James G. Speer.

Elizabeth Ann Harris Caldwell was married to John Speer by the Reverend Moses Waddel and the marriage is recorded in his journal, (see C.13.). John Speer was the son of William and Eleanor Little Speer and was born in 1784 and died in 1866. Both he and Elizabeth are buried in Providence Presbyterian Churchyard in Lowndesville, Abbeville County, South Carolina. In his will, below, John Speer is seen leaving an annuity to his wife, Mary L. Speer. From this we can probably assume that he remarried after the death of Elizabeth, but as of now we do not have any proof of this having occured.

ABBEVILLE COUNTY, SOUTH CAROLINA, PROBATE RECORD, Box 172, Pack 4618:

John Speer's will, dated November 1865, probated 26 April 1866:

1. Debts to be paid, 2. All personal estate to be sold, 3. 50 acres of land on Rocky River in trust of John C. Speer for the use of John C. Speer's children, 4. Wife, Mary L. Speer, annuity of $150.00, 5. 1100 acres where he lived to be sold. Divided in seven equal parts to; 1/7 part to Daughter Eliza Kay, 1/7 part to children of my dec'd. son William A. Speer, 1/7 part to daughter, Jane C., wife of Madison Weemes, 1/7 part to daughter, Martha, wife of Jonathon Galloway, 1/7 part to son John C. Speer in trust for his children, 1/7 part to granddaughter Elizabeth Ellington, daughter of deceased daughter, Sarah, 1/7 part to John C. Speer in trust for the children of my son, James G. Speer, now living.

John C. Speer, Executor Wits: M. McDonald, D. J. Jordan & Thos. Thomson

26 April 1866 Matthew McDonald swears he saw John Speer sign his will and Thomas Thomson & D. J. Jordan were witnesses.

William Hill, OAD

Inventory, 5 June 1866, W. A. Giles:

Expenditures 1868- Mary Speer $150.00; James Bruce, James Wiles, Wm. Bell, W. A. Giles, James Johnson, E. White, Mary L. Speer, James T. Barnes, Dr. J. T. Baskins, Wm. Bell, A. Phillips, John Hardy, Mrs. Wamslow, A. Buchanan Smith. (he could have been a blacksmith and not had the last name of Smith?)

Sold 1868- Tract 1 & 5 to G. F. Burdette 365 A.
Tracts 2 & 3 to Augustus Scuddy 269 A.
Tracts 4 to Theodore Kennedy 146 A.

NOTE, by H. C. Carlisle: John Speer and Augustus Scuddy were both surveyors. Robert Burdette & Miss Nettie Kennedy lived and died on adjoining land with home about 1/4 mile apart. John Speer's home site adjoined them on the north and about one mile from Kennedy tract and adjoining Burdette tract on northside.

E. F. Power & Elizabeth L., his wife
VS
John C. Speer, Exor.

John Speer died on the ___ day of April 1866, will proven 25 April 1866.

Elizabeth L. Power is a granddaughter of John Speer & is entitled to 1/7 share.

Defendants out of State - John A. Speer, David Speer, George Speer, Willie Speer & Sarah Speer, children of William A. Speer,

reside at La Grange, Troup County, Georgia.

Jane C. Weems, wife of Madison Weems in Holmes County, Mississippi, (Durant, P.O. July 1874)

1874- To John Speer, Exor., Eliza Kay, John A. Speer, David Speer, George Speer, Willie Speer, Sarah Speer, Jane C. Weems, Martha Galloway, James G. Speer.

Another to Elizabeth Power, John C. Speer, Trustee of James G. Speer's children, Viz. Virginia Sadler, wife of David Sadler in Anderson County, South Carolina, Catherine Wise, Belton Speer, Arthur Speer residing in Orange County, Georgia.

May 25, 1870- Paid T. S. Miller for Mrs. Speer annuity $150.00
Paid John Black for drawing title.

July 16, 1874- A. B. Beville
Lee & Wilson
signed, Hugh Wilson.

(sale bill very dim)

A deed of title to land in Lowndesville.

12 November 1874- John A. Speer was Executor of William A. Speer, dec'd.

July 1874- Charles W. Griffen, Judge of Probate, Abbeville County, South Carolina.

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Septemer 29, 1966

Dear Mrs. Files:

This letter in reply to yours is long over due...sorry I cannot give you any information on the Caldwell line. It definitely seems, from your letters, that there is a relation between the Kays, Caldwells and Moseleys who lived around Lowndesville but I never knew of any Caldwells around there.

I was born and reared in that town - also my husband whose name was Richard Henry Moseley. His father was James Bruce Moseley.

But I cannot recall the name of his Moseley grandfather who lived in Lowndesville. He died before I was old enough to remember him but my husband was old enough to remember him well. He must be buried in that Smyrna Cemetery, although I do not remember ever seeing his grave. It would have been in that part of the cemetery that is overgrown. My husband's father is buried there in the new part, adjoining the old. He was living when we married and for a good time after. The old Moseley home in Lowndesville was a landmark - a large Colonial structure but was sold and demolished after my husband's death three years ago at the age of 85. My father's mother, for whom I am named, is buried in the old part of that cemetery beside my grandfather Kay, her second husband. She was married previously to a Mr. Hardy and had two or three

by him, but they were grown when she married my grandfather, Benjamin D. Kay, a widower. My name is Eliza Caldwell Kay but many in the family called me Elizabeth. My father was the only child she had by her Kay husband. I'm the only one in a family of six that my father named and he stressed that I be called Eliza for his mother. It is possible that my grandmother could have been a Miss Caldwell or a Speer- I just do not know...

Sincerely, Elizabeth Kay Moseley

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Anderson, South Carolina
February 3, 1967

Dear Mrs. Files:

...Writing used to be a pleasant pastime but now, due to my advanced year - 82 come June 26 - I make so many errors until I find it a task to write a creditable one.

...Our families were definitely connected. I am named for my father's mother who was Elizabeth Caldwell Speer. She first married a Hardy. I do not know what his name was. She had three or four children by him - I think 2 daughters, Catherine Hardy and I believe the other daughter was named Fanny. She died before I was born - never married. The boys were John Hardy and I've forgotten name of the other. He was killed in the Civil War in the battle of Atlanta so I never knew him. Don't know if he married or not...We called Catherine, Aunt Kate, who married a Sadler - Uncle John and Aunt Kate were my father's half brother and sister. After my grandmother Hardy husband died she married Ben D. Kay. Had only one child by Ben D. Kay who was my Father and his name was Benjamin C. Kay. The C. was evidently for Caldwell.

...I knew and loved Aunt Kate and Uncle John. My grandmother Eliza Caldwell (Speer, Hardy, Kay) is buried in the Smyrna Cemetery at Lowndesville - the old part of it beside her husband Ben D. Kay. The Hardy children lived in Ga. and were buried there. My grandmother's father Speer may be the John Speer who was buried, you say, in Providence Church Cemetery in L'ville whose wife was Elizabeth Ann Caldwell. ...One Speer about that age drowned in Rocky River on the outskirts of Lowndesville...

Sincerely, Elizabeth Kay Moseley

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C. 15. MATTHEW THOMPSON CALDWELL (Son of John Caldwell B.2.)
b. about 1791, d. before 1841, m. 22 December 1814,
To: Elizabeth Jones, sister of Stephen Jones who married C.14.
Their Children:

Matthew Thompson Caldwell's marriage to Elizabeth Jones is recorded in the register of marriages by Reverend Moses Waddell and also in the Elbert County, Georgia, Will Book K, page 162.

The 1820 Census of Abbeville District, South Carolina lists in Volume 1 - 24, Matthew T. Caldwell, 1 male under 10, 1 male 26-45, 2 females under 10 and 1 female 26-45. He is not found in the 1830 census of Abbeville County.

On 21 August 1841, James S. Long, administrator of M. T. Caldwell's Estate was paid as a legatee of John Caldwell (B.2.) when his estate was settled after the death of his (John's) wife.

C. 16. JOHN GORDON CALDWELL (Son of John Caldwell B.2.)
b. 3 October 1801, d. 9 May 1846, m. 16 March 1824,
to Elizabeth Ellington.
Their Children: D.10, D.11, D.12, D.13, D.14, D.15, D.16
D.17, D.18.

John Caldwell married Elizabeth Ellington, daughter of John and Bedy Jones Ellington.

John Gordon Caldwell, as were his brothers and sisters, was born in Abbeville District, South Carolina.

From the May 13, 1846 issue of the *Abbeville Banner* we read of his death, *"Melancholy accident - we regret to learn that one of our valuable citizens, Major John G. Caldwell was killed on Saturday last. He was endeavoring to hive a swarm of bees which had lodged upon the limb of a tree when in cutting off the limb it fell and bebounding struck him upon the head and dislocated his neck - he died immediately without speaking."*

The 1830 Census of Abbeville District, South Carolina lists, Volume 1-71, John G. Caldwell, males 1 under 5, one 20-30, females, 1 under 5, one 20-30. Also listed in this census is Bedy H. Ellington, female 40-50, the mother of Elizabeth Ellington, John Gordon Caldwell's wife.

The History of the Presbyterian Church in South Carolina, Volume II, by George Howe, D.D., page 551:

Providence Church (Lowndesville), In 1836 Major John G. Caldwell was elected an elder.

Page 755: The Reverend Wm. Carlisle, Wm. H. Harris & James C. Cosby were from the bounds of this congregation. The elders in 1842 were: Robert Cozby, *J. G. Caldwell* & James Baskin...

The Abbeville Banner, April 15, 1846, Petition to Colonel John Cunningham, signed by G. J. Cannon, John Brownlee, A. B. Arnold, W. Tennent, Wm. J. Lomax, *John G. Caldwell*, D. Douglas, Thomas Eakins, J. H. Cobb, A. L. Gray, Enoch Nelson, D. L. Ansley, T. C. Douglas, J. W. Chatham & F. P. Robertson.

Abbeville Banner, May 6, 1846, Temperance Commission on Arrangements: David Lesley, *John G. Caldwell*.

Abbeville Banner, 5th August 1846, Citation: Wm. H. Caldwell (C.17) applied to me to grant him letters of administration on personal estate of John G. Caldwell, dec. These are therefore to cite and admonish the kindred & creditors of said dec. to be and appear before me at a Court of Ordinary at Abbeville Courthouse, Abbeville Dist. Wed., 19th inst. and show cause, if they can, why said Admin. should not be granted.

Sealed and Signed - 3rd. day of August, 1846
DAVID LESLEY, ORD.

After the death of John Gordon Caldwell, his widow and children moved to Talladega County, Alabama to be near her mother, Bedy Jones Ellington Caldwell, the second wife of Colonel William Harris Caldwell, (B.8.) an uncle of John Gordon Caldwell.

C. 17. WILLIAM HARRIS CALDWELL (Son of John Caldwell B.2.)
b. about 1804, d. about 1866/7, m. about 1830, to Elizabeth Moseley.
Their Children: D.19, D.20, D.21, D.22, D.23, D.24, D.25 D.26, D.27, D.28, D.29.

William Harris Caldwell was born in Abbeville District, South Carolina and died in Carroll Parish, Louisiana.

He married Elizabeth Moseley, the daughter of Henry Moseley and Jane McKinley.

The 1830 census of Abbeville District, Volume 1-71, lists William H. Caldwell, one male 20-30, one female 20-30 and one female 60-70, who is believed to be his widowed mother Elizabeth Thompson Caldwell, widow of John Caldwell (B.2.). This leads us to believe that he was living in the house on the old home place built by his father between 1780 and 1800 on land left to him by his father in his will (dated 1812, probated 1816)

William Harris Caldwell was reared in the Presbyterian Church and probably attended Rocky River Church where his father and grandfather had served as elders for many years. However, after his marriage to Elizabeth Moseley, he became a Methodist. Family lore is that she was a Methodist and "wore the pants in the family" and thus converted him to Methodism.

The 1850 Census of Abbeville District lists William H. Caldwell, #1085: William H. Caldwell, age 46, farmer, b. S.C., Elizabeth Caldwell, age 39, b. S.C., John H. Caldwell, age 19, b. S.C., George W. Caldwell, age 17, b. S.C., Mary J. Caldwell, age 15, b. S.C., Americus Caldwell, age 13, b. S.C., Serena Caldwell, age 12, b. S.C., Epaminades Caldwell, age 9, b. S.C., Elizabeth A. Caldwell, age 8, b. S.C., Eugenia Caldwell, age 6, b. S.C., Edward A. Caldwell, age 4, b. S.C., Lemuel Caldwell, age 3, b. S.C. and Oren Caldwell, age 1, b. S.C.

His son Lemuel Caldwell said many years later that his father had signed notes for his older brothers, John Henry and George W., to buy land in Carroll Parish, Louisiana prior to the Civil War and that as a result of their default on the notes, he lost the plantation in South Carolina.

It is possible that the brothers bought the land with expectations of making their fortunes raising cotton for the European market and that the advent of the War and Union embargoes resulted in the collapse of the cotton market and their eventual failure.

Abbeville Banner, September 7, 1866, September 14, 1866 & September 21, 1866: "420 acres Savannah River, adjoining E. Speed, Geo. McCalla, etal, levied on the property of Wm. H. Caldwell, ads., Wm. H. Parker, Com'r and others at the late residence of Wm. H. Caldwell on 11th Oct. I will sell two scythes and cradles, one cross cut saw, one lot plows and plow gear, one wagon, one yoke oxen. 25 head hogs, 5 cattle, 20

sheep, 4 horses, one lot of corn, levied on as the property of Wm. H. Caldwell, Ads. Wm. H. Parker, Com'r and others.

Terms cash

R. Jones, S.A. Dist. Sheriff's Office
Sept. 4, 1866

Following the loss of the family plantation which he had inherited from his father, John Caldwell (B.2.), William Harris Caldwell and his wife, Elizabeth, moved west to Louisiana where they both died around 1867 in Carroll Parish. They are buried somewhere near Delhi, Louisiana.

C. 18. SARAH CUMMINGS CALDWELL (Dgtr. of John Caldwell B.2.)
b. about 1806, d. 12 September 1877, m. 1st. around 1828, to William Willis Bowman, m. 2nd. about 1839, to Alexander Oliver. Their Children: (1) D.30, D.31, D.32, D.33, D.34 (2) D.35, D.36, D.37, D.38.

Sarah Cummings Caldwell Bowman Oliver is buried in the Oliver lot in Providence Presbyterian Churchyard in Lowndesville, South Carolina.

C. 19. ELIZABETH HARRIS CALDWELL (Dgtr. of David Caldwell B.3.)
b. ,d. ,m.
Children: Unknown.

C.20. JAMES CALDWELL PICKENS (Son of Rebecca Caldwell B.4.)
b. 7 September 1787, d. 15 July 1840, m. 15 July 1820 to: Frances Cowherd.

James Caldwell Pickens was born in Abbeville District, South Carolina. He married Frances Cowherd, daughter of Jonathon Cowherd who moved from Nelson County, Virginia to Green County, Kentucky.

James and Frances were married in Orange County, Indiana, where Frances had gone to visit a brother.

He was part of a group in Livingston County, Kentucky, assigned to build a road on 8 October 1805 and again on 4 July 1808.

In 1812 he was soldier in Captain Moses Shelby's Mounted Militia, First Regiment of Kentucky.

Their children were: David S. Pickens, b. 15 February 1824, d. 8 March 1897, Orange County, Indiana, m. Clarisa Price, 17 August 1847; Lucinda Pickens, b. 24 February 1826, d. 21 November 1893, m. Barnet Price; James Pickens, b. 13 March 1832, d. 29 December 1917, m. (1) Elizabeth Arnold (7 September 1862), (2) Ellen Pringle (31 December 1867); Frances Jane Pickens, b. , d. m. Israel Price, 10 August 1848; Sara Ann Pickens, b. 1834, d. 8 January 1918, m. William Shaw, 24 July 1853, in Pierson Township, Vigo County, Indiana; Julia Pickens, m. Lucius Haynes, 22 October 1843.

The material on the Pickenses comes from: Pickens Families of the South, by E. M. Sharp.

C. 21. ELEANOR PICKENS (Dgtr. of Rebecca Caldwell B.4.)
b. about 1785, d. about 1843, m. about 1810/11,
to: Patrick Calhoun.

Eleanor was probably the oldest child of William Gabriel Pickens and Rebecca Caldwell. She was probably born in Abbeville District, South Carolina and died in Paducah, Kentucky.

Her husband, Patrick Calhoun, is claimed by descendants to be the son of Ezekiel Calhoun, son of Hugh Calhoun of Abbeville District. Patrick Calhoun died in Livingston County, Kentucky in 1828 and his widow and children moved to Paducah, Kentucky. There were four children:

James C. Calhoun, b. 25 July 1811 in Livingston County, Ky.
m. Mary Elizabeth Bowles, 3 February 1842.
Eliza Calhoun, b. about 18__, d. m. about 1818
to Rober. Hughey
Jane Calhoun, b. 1820, m. William Jordan Flournoy.
Ezekiel E. Calhoun, b. 18[illegible], m. Miss Laura Davis.

C. 22. ISRAEL HASWELL PICKENS (Son of Rebecca Caldwell B.4.)
b. 10 December 1789, d. 10 December 1846, m. 9 May 1837
to: Elizabeth W. Lamb.

He was born in Abbeville District, South Carolina and died in Crittenden County, Kentucky. He was a merchant. He married late in life and left four small children, who were reared by their grandfather Lamb.

Rebecca Pickens, b. 1842, m. Sam Nunn
Elizabeth J. Pickens, b. 1843, m. Quinn B. Wood, 10 March 1856
Ezekiel Euen (Ewing) Pickens, b. 1844
Israel Haswell Pickens, Jr., b. 1845, d. 1926

Mr. Everette Pickens of Marion, Kentucky a son of Israel Haswell Pickens, Jr. During the Civil War the two brothers took opposite sides. Ezekiel was a Confederate and Israel a Federal. After the war, they settled their differences and lived as neighbors the rest of their lives.

C. 23. JOHN A. PICKENS (Son of Rebecca Caldwell B.4.)
b. ,d. ,m. 1 July 1821, to: Rebecca Barlow.

John A. Pickens died prior to 1830 and left three children.

William Gabriel Pickens, b. 1822, m. Susan Lamb, 12 August 1847.
She was the daughter of Joel Lamb and sister of Elizabeth Lamb who married Israel Haswell Pickens, Sr.
Thomas J. Pickens, b. 1826, m. 3 October 1849, Emma F. Bigham.
He died soon after after his marriage.
Joseph B. Pickens, b. 1830, m. Mary Chandler, 18 April 1854.

C. 24. EZEKIEL PICKENS (Son of Rebecca Caldwell B.4.)
b. ,d. m.
There are few references to Ezekiel Pickens.

C. 25. WILLIAM K. PICKENS (Son of Rebecca Caldwell B.4.)
b. d. m. 12 February 1833, Rebecca Barlow Pickens.

He married his brother John A. Pickens' widow. William Gabriel sold him some slaves and land between 1830-36. William K. Pickens went into court and made oath that he was a cousin of one John Pickens who had lived in the county and who had died leaving two sons, Christopher C. Pickens and Alfred Pickens who were then 21 years of age. On April 6, 1835, William K. Pickens was granted license to operate a ferry across the Cumberland river. Surety on his bond was his brother Handy G. Pickens. There is no other record of him in Livingston County.

C. 26. HANDY G. PICKENS (Son of Rebecca Caldwell B.4.)
b. 1809, d. , m. , Mary Ann _____.

The youngest son of William Gabriel and Rebecca Caldwell Pickens Was born in Kentucky. In 1850 he was living on a plantation in Arkansas County, Arkansas. They had in 1850:

William Y. Pickens, b. 1841, in Arkansas.
George W. Pickens, b. 1843, in Arkansas, Confederate soldier.
Ellen M. Pickens, b. 1845, in Arkansas.
Andrew H. Pickens, b. 1849, in Arkansas.

C. 27. ROBERT WILSON (Son of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 6 November 1789, d. 5 November 1832, m.
To: Elizabeth Reid.
Their Children:

He was a volunteer in the War of 1812. His wife Elizabeth Reid was the daughter of Hugh and Margaret Reid. Hugh Reid was born in 1746 in Pennsylvania. After moving to Abbeville District, South Carolina, he was an elder in the Upper Long Cane Presbyterian Church.

C. 28. JAMES CALDWELL WILSON (Son of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. ,d. ,m.
To:_____Pharr.
Their Children:

C.29. MARY (POLLY) WILSON (Dgtr. of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. ,d. 1833, m.
To: Robert Strain.

C. 30. JANE WILSON (Dgtr. of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 17 January 1798, d. 18 August 1830, m.
To: Reverend Isaac Haddon.
Their Children: William Hadden and others.

C. 31. JEMIMA WILSON (Dgtr. of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 23 July 1800, d. 12 January 1872, m.
To: Samuel Houston, son of John Houston who died in Abbeville District, South Carolina in 1802.
Their Children:

C. 32. HANNAH WILSON (Dgtr. of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 22 September 1802, d. 22 July 1827, m.
To: Hugh Kirkwood (?)
Their Children:

C. 33. JOHN HARRIS WILSON (Son of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 8 October 1804, d. 26 February 1859, m.
To:
Their Children:

C. 34. HUGH REID WILSON (Son of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 8 October 1804, d. 18 July 1883, m.
To:
Their Children:

Hugh Reid Wilson, twin brother of John Harris Wilson (C.33), moved to Talladega County, Alabama. In a letter of Theodore Lesley, of Talladega County, to his brother, James T. Lesley, of Madison, Florida, date 1863, he states that Hugh Wilson was his neighbor, and had four sons in the Confederate Army and mentions a daughter.

C. 35. LEROY CALDWELL WILSON (Son of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 15 May 1807, d. 23 July 1886, m.
To: R. Eveline Gordon
Their Children:

C. 36. MATILDA VASHTI WILSON (Dgtr. of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 11 August 1809, d. 23 August 1857, Tampa, Florida.
m. , To: Franklin Branch, M.D. (1802-1882)
Their Children: Darwin A. Branch, M.D., (1832-1858), Reverend Franklin A. Branch, b. 1834, d. 1856, m. Sarah Gates.

C. 37. ELIZABETH ANN WILSON (Dgtr. of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 1811, d. , m.
To: Samuel Reid.
Their Children: Mary Wilson Reid, Lemuel Reid, James C. Reid.

C. 38. MATTHEW HARVEY WILSON (Son of Elizabeth Caldwell B.5.)
b. 7 April 1812, d. 13 December 1847, m.
To:
Their Children:

C. 39. WILLIAM DAVIS (Son of Mary Caldwell B.6.)
b. ,d. ,m.
To:
Their Children:

C. 40. JAMES CALDWELL DAVIS (Son of Mary Caldwell B.6.)
b. ,d. ,m.

C. 41. MOSES DAVIS (Son of Mary Caldwell B.6.)
b. ,d. ,m.

OBITUARY AND EULOGY OF MATTHEW HARVEY WILSON, *The Abbeville Press and Banner*, (no date given).

The funeral services of Matthew Harvey Wilson (C.38), who died in Mexico, took place in Upper Long Cane Church on the 22 ult., and was attended by a large concourse of people, who came up with sad hearts to pay the last tribute of respect to departed worth. The procession was formed in the village about 10 O'clock, consisting of Abbeville Light Infantry, of which the deceased was a member, and the Brethen of Hiram and Clinton Lodges. Next, followed the citizens, generally in carriages or on horseback. In this order they moved to the church, where, after a suitable prayer by Rev. D. M. Turner, Lieut. James M. Perrin pronounced a chaste and beautiful eulogy upon the life and character of the deceased. Lieut. Perrin was his intimate friend in Mexico and watched over him in his sickness and administered to his wants and finally saw him breathe his last in the land of strangers. The address was full of feeling and every way worthy of him for whom it was pronounced.

"In order", Lieut. Perrin said, "to show something of the character of the son, it is necessary to look back to the parents and we would find in the deceased a verification of the proverb, 'train up a child in the way it should go and he will not depart from it'. Matthew Wilson, I, his father, was a Covenator or Presbyterian. At the age of six years he immigrated to this ccuntry with his father who settled on a farm on Upper Long Cane Creek in the Abbeville District and died about the commencement of the Revolutionary War. At his death, he left two sons, James and Matthew, the father of the deceased, James being grown, took and active part in the Revolutionary War. He belonged to that independent and patriotic band of Partisans who in the darkest hour of South Carolina gloom, never desponded. Chased and hunted by the Tories who laid waste our country, and bathed it in blood, he and his companions were compelled to make their homes in the forests returning to visit their families only by stealth. They, however, permitted no opportunities to pass without retaliating on the foe and when he least expected it, dashed like a thunderbolt upon him. It was in an encounter like this that James Wilson and his comrades were overpowered and shamefully put to death. Matthew Wilson at that time was only fifteen years of age, too young to bear arms in his country's cause but not too young to serve her. For a long time, he was bearer of dispatches from one Whig post to another, a position of great difficulty and danger. After the War he returned home to his mother, she having married Robert Bell. Soon after he married Elizabeth Caldwell (B.5.), daughter of James Caldwell (A.1.), also an immigrant from Protestant Ireland.

They settled on Calhoun's Creek, among the first settlers of that portion of our district. He was a member of Upper Long Cane Presbyterian Church and one of its strong pillars. He was ruling elder under the Rev. Robert Wilson and during the pastorate of the lamented Dr. William Hampden Barr. He had a family of twelve children all of whom lived to be grown. He died in the year 1834 in the 67th year of his age.

Matthew Harvey, the youngest of the family, was born on the 7th day of April 1812. He received a good English and classical education from his cousin, Robert McMurty. Then he returned to his father to

assist him in the management of his farm. After the death of his father he still remained with his mother, his brothers and sisters all having settled and many of them having families. After 1842, his mother resolved to break up housekeeping and live with her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Reid. The deceased then moved to Mississippi and followed the occupation of farming until 1845 when he returned to this district and commenced the study of law with his brother, John Harris Wilson (C.33.). He was shortly afterward admitted to the bar. When the state was called on for volunteers for the Mexican War, he was amongthe first to enroll his name. He was attached to the Abbeville Volunteers and served as Sergeant until the army reached Pueblo, where his health failed him and he was honorably discharged, July 26, 1847. Unable to return home in consequence of communications being shut off, he followed the army and died in the City of Mexico on the 13th day of December 1847 of chronic dysentery."

At the close of the eulogy, the procession was formed and moved to the place of interment, where he was buried with Masonic and Military honors. It was said that 3000 persons were present.

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C. 42. REBECCA DAVIS (Dgtr. of Mary Caldwell B.6.)
b. ,d. ,m.
to:
Their Children:

C.43. ALEXANDER DAVIS (Son of Mary Caldwell B.6.)
b. ,d. ,m.
to:
Their Children:

C. 44. ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Dgtr. William Harris Caldwell B.8.)
b. ca 1803,d. ,m.
to: (Robert) Huey.
Their Children: Clementine and Louisa Huey (Named in will).

Clementine married John Harris Gray. He was appointed guardian of Louisa in 1836. Robert (?) Huey married second to Ruth Boyd.

C. 45. WILLIAM HARRIS CALDWELL (Son of Wm. Harris Caldwell B.8.)
b. ca. 1805, d. ca 1865 ,m. ca 1827, South Carolina.
to: Jane Allen
Their Children: D.39, D.40, D.41, D.42, D.43, D.44.D.45, D.46.

According to the 1850 census of Carroll County, Georgia, Eleventh Division, Family #126, dated 4 September 1850, William Harris Caldwell was born in South Carolina. His age in the census records is given as 45 years. His wife, Jane, is listed as having been born in North Carolina and her age is given as 40 years. Six children are listed in this record; Josiah, 20; Ann, 16; Francis, 13; John, 10; Thomas, 8 and Benjamin, 4. The first three children are listed as having been born in South Carolina, while the last three are listed as being born in Georgia.

The 1830 census of Abbeville District, South Carolina, Volume 1, page 83, lists a William H. Caldwell with, males, 2 under 5, one 20/30, females, one 20/30. Also, listed in this census record we find on page 83, a William H. Caldwell with one male aged 15/20, one aged 50/60 and females one 10/15. This could be the father of C.45. whose first wife, Jane Davis, had died. He, William Harris Caldwell (B.8.) later married Bedy Ellington who bore a son, Benjamin Franklin Caldwell.

William Harris Caldwell (C.45.) apparently left South Carolina and moved to Georgia sometime around 1839/40 since his fourth child, John Caldwell (D.42.) was born there according to the 1850 census.

C. 46. JANE CALDWELL (Dgtr. of William Harris Caldwell b. 6 March 1808, SC. d. 8 April 1890, m. ca 1826. B.8.)
to: George A. Chambers
Their Children: D.47, D.48, D.49, D.50, D.51, D.52, D.53. D.54, D.55.

According to the 1850 census of Coweta County, Georgia, 19 Division, page 306, Family # 321, 17 August 1850, Janes D. Caldwell Chambers was born in 1811 in South Carolina. We know that she was born in 1811 by the fact that she is listed in the 1850 census as being 39 years of age. The middle initial "D" in her name could have stood for "Davis" her mother's maiden name. As was customary with the Scots-Irish Caldwells, one of the daughters and possibly one of the sons of a marriage were named after their mothers family.

Her husband, George A. Chambers, is listed in the census as being a teacher and owning real estate valued at $300.00. He is listed as having been born in Georgia. Their first five children are listed as having been born in South Carolina, while the sixth is listed as being born in Alabama. The last four were, according to the census, born in Georgia.

Their second child, a son named William H. Chambers was no doubt named after Jane's father, (B.8.). The last child, Robert D. possibly bore the middle name of Davis. A daughter, Elvira (D.48) was probably named after Jane's sister Alvirah Caldwell (C.48).

C. 47. AMANDA REBECCA CALDWELL (Dgtr. of William Harris Caldwell B.8.)
b. 30 September 1811, d. 16 Dec. 1834, m. James Baskin.

She is buried at Ora, South Carolina and there is a tombstone which bears the dates of her birth and death.

She had a daughter, Jane Baskin, born in 1833, who married John Simpson Young. She was in Mississippi in 1856.

C. 48. ALVIRAH CALDWELL (Dgtr. of William Harris Caldwell B.8.)
b. ca. 1816, d. aft. 1860, m. ca 1837,
to: Francis A. Young.
Their Children: D.56, D.57, D.58, D.59, D.60, D.61, D.62 D.63, D.64.

The 1850 census of Anderson County, South Carolina, Western Div., Family #939, page 220, 27 September 1850, lists Francis Young, age 39, white,male, born in South Carolina, Elvira, age 34, white, born in South Carolina, William, age 12, white, born in South Carolina, Nancy, age 10, Jane, age 8, Mary, age 6, John, age 4, and Louisa, age 2, all born in South Carolina.

C. 49. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN CALDWELL (Son of Wm. H. Caldwell B.8.)
b. 1834, d. about 1863/4, m. about 1855.
to: Louisa Morriss
Their Children: D.65, D.66, D.67.

Benjamin Franklin Caldwell grew up in Talladega County, Alabama and married Louisa Morriss there. There are many letters in the Morriss family which have been microfilmed by Stamford University in Birmingham, Alabama, written by Benjamin Franklin Caldwell to his father-in-law, William Alexander (Sandy) Morriss.

He homesteaded land in Florida and deeded the original four acres to the City of Orlando on which it was founded. In 1958 the City of Orlando called long distance to Talladega County, Alabama and asked to speak to a descendant of Benjamin Franklin Caldwell. It seems they were going to celebrate with a Centennial commemorating 100 years. However, it fell through because of the large amount of money the promoters wanted to put it on. In the early 1930's all of the descendants of this Benjamin F. Caldwell received letters from the courts to clear the title to various property in and around Orlando. At that time nobody thought they had enough money to fight the courts and make the trip to Orlando.

Benjamin Franklin Caldwell fought and died during the Civil War. How or when is not factually known. Photostats of War Records show he belonged to the 23rd. Regiment, Texas Cavalry, Company H. Records of the General Hospital, Houston, Texas show he was admitted on September 12, 1863 with acute dysentery. Returned to duty on September 18, 1863. Muster Roll dated October 15, 1864, he shown marked as absent and shown as served for a period of 3 years in Gould's Regiment.

C. 50. THOMAS CALDWELL (Son of Ezekiel Caldwell B.9.)
b. , d. m.
To:
Their Children:

C. 51. JOSEPH CALDWELL (Son of Ezekiel Caldwell B.9.)
b. , d. , m.
To:
Their Children:

C. 52. WILLIAM EZEKIEL CALDWELL (Son of Ezekiel Caldwell B.9.)
b. , d. m.
To:
Their Children:

C. 53. ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Dgtr. of Ezekiel Caldwell B.9.)
b. , d. , m.
To:
Their Children:

C.54 SAMUEL C. CALDWELL (Son of Ezekiel Caldwell B.9)
b. ,d. m.
Their children:

The 1820 census of Abbeville District, South Carolina, Vol. 1 - 3, lists a Samuel Caldwell and reads as follows:

Males	Females
2 under 10	4 under 10
1 16 - 19	1 16 - 19
1 16 - 26	2 26 - 45
2 26 - 45	1 45 plus

The 1830 census of Abbeville District, South Carolina lists in Volume 1 - 17:

Samuel Caldwell

Males	Females
2 10 - 15	2 5 - 10
2 20 - 30	2 10 - 15
1 30 - 40	

C.55 _____CALDWELL (Dgtr of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1808 ,d. m.
Their children:

C.56 _____CALDWELL (Child of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1811 ,d. m.
Their children:

C.57 _____CALDWELL (Child of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1814 ,d. ,m.

C.58 _____CALDWELL (Child of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1817 ,d. ,m.

C.59 _____CALDWELL (Dgtr of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1820

C.60 _____CALDWELL (Child of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1822 ,d. ,m.

C.61 WILLIAM HARRIS CALDWELL (Son of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1824, Mississippi, d. after 1870, m. ca 1849 in Newton County, Mississippi to Sarah _____. He married second, Mrs. E. E. Gilcrease on 24 July 1879.
Their children (1st wife): D.68, D.69, D.70, D.71, D.72, D.73 D.74, D.75, D.76.

C.62 JOSEPH CALDWELL (Son of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1828 , d. , m.

C.63 _____ CALDWELL (Dgtr of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1830 , d. , m.

C.64 AMANDA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Thomas Caldwell B.10)
b. ca 1832/33 , d. , m. ca 1859, Perry Simmons.

C.65 _____ KERR (Child of _____ Caldwell B.1)
b. , d. , m.

C.66 JOHN CARROTHERS CALDWELL (Son of William Harris CALDWELL B.12)
b. , d.
m. , Elizabeth Black, who is thought to have been the daughter of Robert Black and Mary Caldwell, B.17.

C.67 JOHN CALDWELL PICKENS (Son of Isabella Caldwell B.14)
b. , d. before 1850 , m. 1. Hannah Taylor, 2. Sarah Caldwell.

His widow was still living in Butler County, Alabama in 1850. They had the following children: 1. Elizabeth Ann, 2. Isabella, 3. Satirah Jane, 4. Sarah Adaline, 5. John Andrew, born in 1834 in Alabama, died ca 1899. He was in Company K, 17th Alabama Regiment in the Confederate States Army.

C.68 MARY ANN PICKENS (Dgtr of Isabella Caldwell B.14)
b. , d. , m. ca 1818 to: Thomas J. Black, son of Robert Black. She was born in Abbeville District, South Carolina.
They had the following children: 1. Isabella Black, b. 31 October 1819, d. 23 July 1842, 2. Andrew Martin Black, b. 15 September 1821, d. 05 April 1879, 3. Robert W. Black, b. 06 June 1823, d. 09 April 1864, 4. Francis Marion Black, b. 04 November 1825, d. 30 January 1915, 5. Matilda M. Black, b. 28 April 1828, 6. Ezekial P. Black, b. 21 November 1830, d. 20 April 1879, 7. Thomas E. Black, b. 21 August 1833, 8. James A. Black, b. 13 December 1836, d. 23 November 1861, 9. Joseph S.Black, b. 23 October 1838, d. April 1885, 10. John Black, b. 1844.

C.69 ISABELLA PICKENS (Dgtr of Isabella Caldwell B.14)
b. 1805 , d. , m.

She is shown living in the houselold of her father in the 1850 census of Butler County, Alabama. Her father is listed as being 80 years of age.

C.70 EZEKIEL PICKENS (Son of Isabella Caldwell B.14)
b. about 1805 , d. , m. never married

He is shown in the 1850 census of Butler County, Alabama as the Clerk of Circuit Court.

C.71 JANE PICKENS (Dgtr of Isabella Caldwell B.14)
b. , d. , m. Joseph Black.

Their children: 1. Matilda Malvina Black, 2. Isabella Malissa Black, 3. Eliza Ellen Black.

C.72 ELIZA PICKENS (Dgtr of Isabella Caldwell B.14)
b. , d. , m.
to:

She is given in family data as a daughter, but is not shown in the 1850 census. She may have died before then and never married.

The Pickens data in this book is from: THE PICKENS FAMILIES OF THE SOUTH, by E. M. Sharp.

C.73 ELIZABETH BLACK (Dgtr of Mary Caldwell B.17)
b. , d. , m.
to: probably, John Carrothers Caldwell (C.66).

D.1 JOHN JOSEPH CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell C.12)
b. ca 1812 , d. 17 September 1853, m.
to:
their children:

His estate was administered in Panola County, Mississippi on 25 March 1853 by his brother, Samuel Y. (Young) Caldwell.

D.2 SAMUEL Y. CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell C.12)
b. , d. , m.
to:
their children:

D.3 THOMAS F. CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell C.12)
b. about 1825 , d. , m.
to:
their children:

The 1850 census of Abbeville District, South Carolina lists him as being 25 years of age and owning 171 acres of improved land and 637 acres of unimproved land.

D.4 MARY ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Caldwell C.12)
b. ,d. , m.
to: William H. Harris.
their children:

D.5 ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Caldwell C.12)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

D.6 WILLIAM H. CALDWELL (Son of James Caldwell C.12)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

D.7 AGNES J. CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Caldwell C.12)
b. ca 1828.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

D. 8. REBECCA R. CALDWELL (Dgtr. of James Caldwell C.12.)
b. about 1831, d. , m.
To:
Their Children:

D. 9 SARAH CALDWELL (Dgtr. of James Caldwell C.12.)
b. ca. 1841, d. , m.
To:
Their Children:

D. 10. FRANCES AREANNE CALDWELL (Dgtr. of John Gordon Caldwell C.16.)
b. 17 January 1828, Abbeville District, South Carolina,
m. To:
Their Children:

D. 11. JOHN THOMPSON CALDWELL (Son of John G. Caldwell C.16.)
b. 14 February 1830, Abbeville District, South Carolina,
d. In service CSA, m. , To: Sue Cliett,
Their Children: E.1.

D. 12. WILLIAM DRAYTON CALDWELL (Son of John G. Caldwell C.16.)
b. 10 October 1832, Abbeville District, South Carolina,
d. 16 March 1900, Alabama, m. 01 November 1858,
To: Ann Elizabeth Starnes.
Their Children: E.2, E.3, E.4, E.5.

William Drayton Caldwell was born in Abbeville District, South Carolina, the son of John G. and Elizabeth Ellington Caldwell. His father C.16. was killed in an accident when he, William Drayton, was fourteen years old and shortly thereafter his widowed mother moved to Talladega County, Alabama to be near her mother Bedy Jones Ellington Caldwell, the wife of Colonel William Harris Caldwell (B.8.) who was his great-uncle, brother of his grandfather, John Caldwell (B.2.).

On 1 November 1858 he married, in Magnolia, Arkansas, Miss Ann Elizabeth Starnes, born 16 October 1838, the daughter of J. B. and Elizabeth Starnes. She died on the 13th of April 1877. After their marriage, William Drayton and Elizabeth Caldwell returned to Alabama where they lived until their deaths.

Mrs. Lucille Caldwell Brown, their granddaughter, related an interesting incident that ocurred on their journey from Arkansas to Alabama. It seems that as they were crossing a river in their buggy, he failed to take the horses from the traces. The horse backed off the ferry and into the river. Her grandmother and the horse, buggy and all their possessions were rescued but they had to stay with the ferryman for several days until they could wash and clean their clothes and other possessions.

Mrs. Brown also wrote, in 1965, to Johnnie Caldwell Files...In 1857, she (Ann Elizabeth Starnes) moved to Arkansas with her father and mother, but returned to Alabama when she and William Drayton Caldwell were married

in 1858. In 1941 the government bought the land and built a powder plant. It included the farm my great grandmother once owned. My uncle Edwin (E.4) owned it at that time (1941) , it was heart-breaking for them to have to sell it.

He had lived there all his life but one year. He leased it to a man and moved away. He wasn't satisfied, he moved in a tenant house on the farm and lived there two years until the lease was up. Five generations lived in that house.

You know the powder plant clears up far and near. They burnt the house (of course all others too). They said it was so rich. It was made of rich hued logs. Uncle Edwin sealed (it) inside and weatherboarded it outside since I remember.

My great grandmother, grand father and mother and uncle James Ellington Caldwell is buried in the Nichols cemetery near Kymulga. Childersburg is near there.

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OBITUARY OF MRS. ANN ELIZABETH CALDWELL:

Mrs. A. E. Caldwell, affectionate wife of W. D. Caldwell, was born October 1838, and died April 13th 1877. She was the daughter of J. B. and Elizabeth Starnes, both of whom were prominent and useful member of the Baptist Church. In 1857 she moved with her father to Arkansas, but in 1858 she married, and removed to Talladega County, the place of her birth, where she lived a life of usefulness till her mission here was happily finished.

From her early girlhood to the winding up of mortality, she was a model Christian. She first united with the Baptist Church; it being the sect of her tutorage. In 1875 she united with the M.E. Church South, in which her zeal was strong and her walks worthy of emulation. She was ever ready to aid and defend the cause of her Master. Her love for the Gospel Ministry was strikingly demonstrated by her genial favors extended to the Ministers of the Gospel and Church. The doors of her house and the comforts therein were freely opened to those men of God. One week prior to the dissolution of this sainted woman she was striken down by a severe attack of pneumonia, which brought on the relentless hand of death. I have often heard Sister Caldwell say, previous to her illness that she feared the approach of the last of life temporal but when she was warned by affliction, that her extinction was near at hand she was heard to say, 'Fears have all banished, I am in possession of the sustenance on high'. It was indeed pleasant to stand around the bed of this righteous woman and hear her talk of heaven and behold the many demonstrations of strong faith. A few hours before mortality's end, she was deprived of the power of speech but her countenance was radiant with heavenly smiles reminding the writer of his idea of rejoicing Angels.

She, on being asked, if she was happy though unable to speak in audible tones, gave the affirmative signal by smiling and pointing towards the land of the blest, then clapping her hands demonstratively, the bereaved husband and four children were called to her bedside to witness the last of their dearest earthly treasure, when she gave her hand to them and instantly expired. Thus passed away one of earth's purest

and noblest women to take up her abode in the "Land of pure delight". 'Where saints immortal reign, where endless day excludes the night, And pleasure banish pain.

We trust this sore bereavement may be used to the saving of the soul of her devoted husband and many neighbors who deeply mourn the loss of this good woman.

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OBITUARY AND EULOGY OF WILLIAM DRAYTON CALDWELL:

The subject of this sketch, W. D. Caldwell, was born in Lowndesville, South Carolina, October 10, 1832. When he was about 15 years old his mother came to Alabama and settled in Talladega County near Kymulga. Here the mother of Drayton lived till called to go hence to return no more. November 1, 1858, Drayton Caldwell and Miss Elizabeth Starnes were united in marriage in the town of Magnolia, Arkansas. This proved a happy marriage, and he and his wife lived happily together till April 13, 1877, when death took her from the home and family. The sad father was left with four young sons in his care, the youngest being only two or three years old. Drayton never married again, but he manfully strove to fill the place of both father and mother to his little boys. How well he succeded in bringing them up to manhood is seen in the every day life of Johnie, William, Edwin and Franklin. He lived to see his sons married and on the 16th of March 1900 he bade them a final farewell.

We buried him Saturday afternoon, March 17, 1900 by the side of his wife in the old Kymulga church burial grounds. It is a sad thought that we shall see him no more, nor ever again hear his mellow and pleasant voice.

Few men have I ever known who possessed so many noble traits of character, or who had so few faults. He was truly a noble man. In a long acquaintance with him I have often felt impressed with the purity of his character. He was almost absolutely free of the fault of speaking evil or unkindly of others, but delighted in speaking well of those out of sight.

He came as near doing "unto others" as he "would that they should do unto him" as anyone I ever knew.

He never made an open profession of religion, yet he had a very high reverence for his God--a veneration for all that is holy, and such a deep sense of obligation and gratitude to God, that he lived a much more religious life than many who claim to be Christians. Though he made no profession of religion who can say how he stood in the eye of Him who readeth the hearts of all men? I verily believe that his high ideas of what a church member should be is the reason why he never joined any church.

He was a good neighbor, a good citizen, a good friend, a good father, a good man.

M. E. Butt

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LETTERS FROM JAMES FERGUSON TO WILLIAM DRAYTON CALDWELL:

Nashville, Texas
July 26th. 1861

Mr. W. D. Caldwell

Dear Cousin:

Although I am confined to my bed, and have been for 5 or 6 days. Yet by the permission and goodness of God I am spared and permitted to answer your very welcome messenger which came to hand 7 days ago bringing to us the intelligence, that yourself, family, relations and friends was in good health. Oh what a blessing, I would to God that I could say the same of ourselves and family, as well as the country up and down both rivers. All are having Remittent Fever and generally I never saw as billous set in my life. Though so far it has not been fatal among any of family's. Since I have been here I have had an attack of sickness about every month. I built up the first month then took rheumatism in feet and legs. About one month after was attacked with inflamation of liver. One month after this rheumatism returned on me again rendering me at times incapable of getting about. It has got to attacking me in my chest, heart, shoulders, head and back and I fear it ravages up on me will eventually produce sudden death. It is awful when it strikes my heart and head. When in my feet and legs it effects the leaders and muscles and swells up so I can scarcely walk at all. Dr. Cole was to see me yesterday and advised me to go to the Lampassas Springs where he said he had no doubt but it would effect a cure of me and make me a new man. If I can arrange things will try and go. Ike's sister Lizzie and several of Fergusons are now sick, ours are all up today. Several of Beavers are yet sick white and black though the fever seems to yield quite easily under the influence of medicine. All the old settlers say they not experienced anything like it for a number of years and I believe it as the most of them know but little about medicine or treating the most common cases of chills and fever. Some say don't give medicine but make them drink water and keep drinking till they can't hold any more & it will produce sick stomache and vomiting which will cause them to throw off all the bile and as soon as this is done the fever will subside. But instead of water we amke the Ipecac and calomel and quinine ache and have succeeded well in arresting all the cases we have had without calling a doctor. Dr. Cole saw Gertrude after present cases was over, all would enjoy perfect health...Sarah, Sampson, Suda, Frankee and mother have all been sick. Also Mr. Martin and Sam, 4 or 5 of Fergusons but new bad cases.

Maryann has been almost down several times but thank God she is still up and performing every part that a good wife can do in attending the sick and giving medicine and carrying on her business affairs with it all. I have not been able to take any of these chores off her hands. If it was not for her the Lord only knows what would become of us. But we live in hopes of better times. I was sorry to learn that you was being dry and suffering for rain so much for I know if you make a failure there this year it would make awful times there in point of provisions.

But trust you will receive rain in time to bring out all your corn and cotton to perfect maturity and that wll will make plenty. Glad to know your wheat and corn crop was good which was very much needed by you all. The season has been fine and regular here up to the 4th of July as a man could ask for and the result of them is the finest kind of crops. Some say they will make 30 some 50 some 75 some 100 bushels corn pr. acre. This seems large but it is no less true. Mainly all the corn on Little and Brazos rivers that was planted forward will average from 75 to 100 B. pr. acre easily. Beavers on his old sand land will make it & on fresh 75 & cotton is just good enough for any use. Ike and I will not average over 25 to 30 Bu. corn on our bottom land as we could not get it to a stand. It was drowned out 3 times in hog wallows, & had to plant over 3rd. time, then did not get over ½ stand on our rented land in Post Oak. We will gather from 30 to 35 Bu. pr. acre. Beavers, Ike and I will make plenty to furnish all of our relatives and friends who may migrate here and I think the price of corn will open at about 25¢ pr. bu. And will be a tight go at that. When I tell you the amount of work applied to our corn in bottom you will hardly believe it but it is so, the sand was not broke, we laid it off, dropped corn and run two furrows on it then broke out most of middles or rather scratched it, some middles have never been touched but with this it was laid by with plow, it was thinned and chopped one time with hoe and laid by, it will turn us out 25 to 30 pr. acre.

If I live I want to brake all well then bed it and in February plant in the bed like cotton. When it comes up sweep it out and never touch anymore, but thin and chop it, & if rain with that work it is good for 75 bu. per acre.

Our Post Oak land is called poor land & it looks so. Though I cleared 9 acres of it, & planted in cotton, finished 2nd. June. Broke the middles and put it to a stand & let it go, it is now from hip to waist high with bowls, blooms & squares thousands & I think will make me 1000 lb. pr acre. I also planted 50 acres in the bottom finished this 24th June. Only 2 furrows have been run in each middle. The balance of middle stands so put it to a stand & it is now from knee to ½ thigh high full of squares as can hold. So I am fully satisfied with what bottom and Post Oak land will do and it takes almost no work at all to make crops of the heaviest kind. I have 50 acres in cultivation in bottoms, am now clearing 50 more will be through in 4 or 5 days then in winter will clear 50 or 60 in Post Oak.

We have been worn out pulling old fodder 3 weeks & will gather our cane soon. Some have already gathered some.

You need not doubt it, tis a fine country. If it proves healthy I am_____still here and a good many things, I do not like the water generally, scarcity of mills & as yet, ill convenience of marketing this war has hung up rail roads operations & all business there has caused. It runs (the cars) in 30 miles of us now, but seven would have been much more than 30. If they had not stopped by this time would have been in 7 mi. of us. But we must _____ till times are so they can bring it on.

Cousin Drayton you and cousin Thompson are men of too much nerve & ambition to waste your time & energy in cultivating such land as you do there, tis true it is good for that country, but when you can do so much better in Texas & save so much labor, I would advise you to leave there & come. If you like it here would be pleased to have you settle near us,

but if you do like it here you can get better land here in Texas most anywhere. So I would advise you to leave there. There are 6000 acres here lies between me and Beavers, about 300 acres bottom land and balance hammock & Post Oak, & his price for it I am told, is $4500. barely 80¢ pr. acre. & bottom land itself when cleared is worth 30 to 50 pr. acre itself. I mentioned this that you might think of it, there is another body on Brazos River...997 acres can be had for about $5 pr acre, think of it, about 300 acres bottom on it. one of you come & see the country & _____ which will _____ satisfy you, much excitement prevails here _____ Va. Regiment is on eve of leaving for Virginia, and on this ____ new, Mr. Ray is in Townsend Company, joined for & during the war, I am proud to know that our Talladega boys stood square up to the music.

Cousin Drayton I wish you would see B. Sawyer, tell him we left a _____ double barrel gun up stairs on the place where he is living, probably in the little pantry, between the 2 upper rooms. Please explain & if he finds them there to hand them to you & you can satisfy me when you write. I trust that you have succeeded in selling the wagons. If you havent try to keep them for us. Do you wish to buy our carriage, if so you may have her for $185. If you do not want her & could sell to someone else for $200. cash, let her go, or 225. on time, perhaps Nicholls would take her. If you will discount out what I owe him. If not hold on and perhaps some of our friends may move out here, if so they could come out in her, also use the wagons in moving here & can return to us after they land, & if I had them here, would not take for all of them less than $550. I would have them sent by water, but the bay is and has been blocked between N. Orleans & Galveston so our vessels cannot pass. I hope though I will get them or their value in due time, as to making collections for me, I know you have & will do all you can. I am glad you took the course you did with Dr. Perkins, and I trust he will not forget to pay me soon as I need it badly. You can say to him, if I had of thought, he would not have paid me for my work when was rendered I never would have done the labour, but I had every confidence in him as a man to believe he would have paid me long since. & I still think he will not try to keep me out of my money, I suppose Shealy returned to you the deed that Mary Ann & I made & assigned to B. Sawyer. If he has not done so call on him for it, & when Sawyer makes full payment for the land, then turn the deed over to him and not until then. I hope he will be prompt in paying me as I will need it as soon as due. Whenever you collect as much as $200 or $500 dollars inform me of it and I will instruct you how I want it sent on. I hope all who owe me will not forget me in due time for me to make all my ends meet here, as tis hard to do anything without money or get anything. We are now needing wheat or flour & could get cheap for money, but without it there is no go. Can get wheat as much as I can shake a stick at in Bell & Falls County at 40 & 50 cents pr bu if had the money, but as I have not got the money it must stay in their garner.

Cousin it would do me good to be with you a while & enjoy your & cousin Ann's company once more in life, also Cousin Thompson & wife. Oh what a treat it would be to me, but at times I think it doubtful whether I ever do again or not as I am so diseased.

Though if I ever return my health again I will visit our relations & friends in Talladega. But if they all wish to do well I say move to Texas some where. I don't say here because I am here unless they can do better, & nothing would be so pleasant to me as to have them settle near us, where we can enjoy life all together. Tell cousin Thompson and Jimson I would enjoy a letter from them very much, that I have intended writing them but _____ the letters I write you. I will expect him to write me. Tell Nicholls I still expect him to answer my letter I wrote to him in April & that if my moving off blast that chord of friendship which I trust existed between us so quickly, his silence will make it known to me, which I would be pleased to know. It would afford me a pleasure to get a letter from him.

Say to German I want an answer to a letter written him he has either not recieved it or will not answer. Something is wrong, I wish I could see Nicholls or him one & get them to tell me what to do for the rheumatism.

I rec'd a letter from Col. Butt which I highly appreciated & will answer soon as able. One from Mr. Woodward which afforded me the consolation to know my friends had not forgotten me. I have written to Es___ Shealy and hope to an answer soon & to Mr. Cruise.

If you see Warlick tell him to come and see this country - he can make 4 _____ to where he makes one there he can as a carpenter get from 50 to 75 to $100 pr. month & fully this amt at the carriage & wagon trade & ten times as much as he does there farming and not apply more than ¼ the labor. After he gets land opened, that gives a man _____ though, & if he had funds to get him 10 or 15 cows and calves which can be had at $5. pr. head & a few sheep he soon would realize a tremendous income.

Tell Bob York if he will come I will give him work at fair wages, though I won't no one but himself, wife & children. I will not have the Reeves & Yorks about him or my place. If he will come & do me good service I will soon procure a home for him provided he will leave off drinking. This would have to be done. I may keep Mr. Masters another year if he will stay.

Ray left Ike before he volunteered, got to drinking heavily & I fear it is his ruin forever.

I am getting awful tired sitting up in bed & can't write much. Now give my love to cousin Thompson & cousin Sue & Jimmie. Tell them I shall never forget them for their kindness to us & if I am not conveniently situated so as to return the same, I pray to God to reward them for their same, as well as the balance of our good friends & neighbors. God bless them all for such kindness and you my dear cousins. I have not language sufficient to express my gratitude to you for your good attention paid us in our distress. Oh it is almost with my heart to tears when I look back at our sad condition & to have friends to help us in such a time of need as you did. I never no never will forget that kindness of you & cousin Ann & if I ever can return a remuneration will do so., & for that charity. I trust that God in his infinite mercy may bless & return to you four fold. Give my love and best respects to Cousin Emily and all her family. God bless her and family & prosper her in every thing. Remember us to Nicholls & wife & family, to Ed Woodward & Sally, also Calhoun & Sady & all our friends and neighbors. Tell them all to write me and now I am about to close. Mary Ann, Sarah, Sampson & Ike join in to you & cousin Ann. All are very anxious to see you all Mary says she wants to

see you and cousin Ann the worst in the world. Says if she lives even to get to Selma she will go up to see you and Thompson & wives. Accept the kind regards of your cousin till death & may God bless you & yours through life's uneven waves & finally receive you in heaven forever.

/s/ J. W. Ferguson

P.S. Please notice the graves of our family & see that they are kept from going to rack by stock. C. I rec'd a letter from B. Caldwell not long since all well good crops, he was not well & thought it likely he would never recover or get over his sickness. Uncle & Mury Hudson will not leave him.

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Port Sulivan Texas
Oct. the 4th 1867

W. D. Caldwell

Dear Drayton, Lawyer Heflin writes us in making our Bond for maintenance of lawsuit against Wm. Morris that we will have to give security on said bond in Ala to do this we will have to call on you & J. J. Calhoun, Bro. Jim says he wrote Judge Heflin to ask 3 of his most intimate friends in Selma to sign for him or any one of them if a security from Dallas county will do if not Jim wishes you to sign for him & I would ask Mr. Calhoun first for myself or any one of my old friends, ___ Nickles, John Keith. the suit will certainly be sustained we are compelled to & will to the uttermost of our ability support _____ cant put you ___ in danger in fact you shant suffer by it) we will be obliged to your for the favor a friend in need is a friend indeed). I wish I could see you & Ann once more on earth and talk until I was satisfied. Oh, near this world has come to turning over it seems to me loved the good & the just as well as before war & I wish to be in their company here tis every one for himself & after self there is very little more to say. Our religious state _____ a great deal said & it takes lots of money to keep all things tending to the church in motion it seems to be going on as before the war but I ought to say nothing perhaps for tis all in accordance with Scripture as for me I feel sometimes like I am lost tis my fault don't think God ever withdraws his supporting Grace from a soul in the full discharge of the duties & obligations tis under. Could say more on this subject in a word say there's more pay in meeting God in peace than all things on Earth.

Our health has been very poor this year up to now but we are all alive & hope in 10 days longer our health will improve. Our sickness mot of a fatal character considering amt. we have had not one has escaped but all are on foot now, good many congestive chills & more deaths from that than any other one complaint. Tom Vaughn (?) seems to like Texas makes a very good crop but there's so many opportunities in this state that a man seems not to know when he is doing well & you don't find more than ½ the population content. Every things mind is in commotion, debts are very difficult to collect & more than ½ debts contracted during the war & before for _____men are trying to shirk

out of them - well might the poet say an honest man was the noblest work of God. Labour is going to try to range here at 15 a month, tis more than land owner can pay and live - great many here sinking money at it. White men will soon be all the go & they will not do unless you have them bound - how is it there? - the negro can't hardly be hired here to cook & wash - asks 2 prices though we see they will soon learn through poor crops - no money - very little provisions & next year will have almost none & we see most of them will have to work or steal.

Felix, Billy & Dewie will I think make about 35,000 lbs of 24 acres if they can gather it & have represented it right to me.

I have not been ½ mile from house till this morning in a month. I am not near as stout as last year. Lizzie's health I fear will fail her in a year or so from a cough she has when she takes cold.

My sons are improving in industry & perseverance as they grow older. Bedy is laying hold washing & cooking helping Lizzie when tis necessary.

Jimmy Caldwell left here in May - promised to be back here ere now to (run ?) the gins. Last I heard of him went to head central rail road & we think went back to Ala. He told me he promised to cultivate Wm (?) Caldwell's farm in Davis County next year.

Mother Caldwellwas well last I heard - ____Hudsons Lawyers broke the will & gained all for the children.

Please write - tell Shealy (?) we are looking for him.

Our love to all my old friends - I will write Calhoun.

/s/ I or J. H. Ferguson

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Port Sulivan, Tex. Nov 12/69

W. D. Caldwell, Esq.

Dear Cousin,

Would that I could say to you "Alls well", but on the contrary it is my painful duty to inform that this Thursday morning week at about 1 am my dear sister Lizzie, bro. Ike's widow breathed her last.

Yes, she too is gone and all of us have good reason to believe that her home is in Heaven. She died of the dreaded disease "Black Jaundice" as much or more to be dreaded than Yellow Fever. One of our most skillful & intelligent Physicians was with her nealy all the time and succeeded in curing the disease but her health was quite feeble before the attack during the summer - consequently when taken she was not physically able to stan the severe spell and died just for the want of more recuperative time, or great debility.

The consequences of her death are truly sad to contemplate. Bedie's health not good. W.E.F. in poor health. Felix on own farm. Dewie's off clerking. Then those in Bro. _____ confined and invalid. Fannie's child Lucy and Lizzie's 3 children all depending on Bedie for that attention which a female can give.

Thomas is a good, big boy of his age. Eddie too is large for his

years and one of the most remarkably good children-considerate-careful-economical, he lives comparatively by Bro. ____ bed side attends to his every wish - want & necessity it is in his power to do.

Ikey, the baby, is now able to walk about & is very fitfull, having as the youngest - had his way - wants it still. Either Mrs. Beavers or Anderson will take him. Mrs. Beavers wants to go to Saluda in Bell County. Very healthy - a fine school to educate her two youngest - if so Bro._____lives until they can make the move. I guess bro. Eddie & Thomas will go - they to school & bro. _____ for a home and health.

After Bro. Ike's will is carried out then some one will have to administer sister Lizzie's Estate and guardian appointed for the children.

Over at Abe's & Sallie's they are as bad off to make Bro. S ____ comfortable as Bedie. (If no body backs out I guess Sallie will marry this winter - this is confidential - about Christmas)

I guess Wm. will keep Bedie at the home place and try to get hands to work the farm next year, if Felix can sell or rent out his, he will likely join Wm., with only them, Bedie may be able to do very well.

I hope you and yours are all well - in good health.

Please write me and let me know if that case came up again- if terminated & when.

I am engaged in a small "Drug Store" in this place in company with Dr. H.C. Ghent - a kinsman of Sister Lizzie's - a half brother I think of old David McCullough's wife. An upright High-toned Gentleman and hope we are making some money but there is too much credit from which I fear the most of our proffits will be absorbed. Let me hear from you soon.

With kindest for your family &
Self, I am very truly
Your affectionate cousin,

/s/ James Ferguson

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D. 13 BEDY ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Dgtr of John G. Caldwell C.16)
b. 20 December 1834, Abbeville Co., SC.
d. 26 September 1841, Abbeville Co. SC.

D. 14 EMILY JOSEPHINE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John G. Caldwell C.16)
b. 09 December 1836, Abbeville County, SC.
d.
m. 29 March 1855.
To: Abner D. Morris.
Their Children: E.6, E.7, E.8, E.9.

D. 15 JAMES ELLINGTON CALDWELL (Son of John G. Caldwell C.16)
b. 25 December 1838, Abbeville County, SC.
d. 05 July 1923, Talladega County, AL.
m. Never married.

Like all of his brothers and sisters, he was probably born in Abbeville District, South Carolina near Lowndesville and moved to Talladega County, Alabama after his father was killed in 1846. His mother came to Alabama to be near her mother who had married William Harris Caldwell (B.8).

He never married and not much is known about his life.

His obituary reads *"JAS. E. CALDWELL BURIED AT KYMULGA ON FRIDAY; Died at the home of his niece, Mrs. M. W. Lide in Birmingham, aged eighty four, who had made his home with his niece, Mrs. M. W. Lide, of Birmingham, for a number of years, died Thursday morning. His remains were brought from Birmingham to Kymulga, his old home, Friday morning where the funeral services and interment took place. Mr. and Mrs. Lide accompanied the remains to Kymulga, and after the funeral he came up to Talladega to spend the time between trains to look after some business and see some of his friends."*

D. 16 MARY JANE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John G. Caldwell C.16)
b. 21 June 1841, Abbeville County, SC.
d. 07 June 1860
m. 15 December 1859, probably Talladega County, AL.
To: R. P. Rutland.
Their Children:

D. 17 WILSON CALDWELL (Son of John Gordon Caldwell C.16)
b. 17 August 1843, Abbeville County, SC.
d. 28 September 1844, Abbeville County, SC.

D. 18 HENRIETTA CALDWELL (Dgtr of John G. Caldwell C.16)
b. 04 July 1845, Abbeville County, SC.
d.
m.
To: John Coleman.
Their Children: E.10, E.11, E.12, E.13, E.14, E.15, E.16, E.17.

D. 19 JOHN HENRY CALDWELL (Son of William H. Caldwell C.17)
b. ca 1830, Abbeville County, SC
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He left South Carolina sometime shortly before the Civil War with his brother George. They purchased land in Carroll Parish, LA. He served in the Confederate Army according to an entry on page 221 of RECORDS OF LOUISIANA CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS AND COMMANDS, 1920, by Andrew B. Booth.

D. 24 JAMES EPAMINADES CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell C.17)
b. ca 1841 , d. 4 May 1862 , m.
to:
their children:

He was born in Abbeville District, South Carolina. According to the Compiled Service Records, NARS Microcopy #267, Roll #215 at the National ARchives he served as a Private in 1st Company D, 7th South Carolina Infantry. He enlisted on 15 April 1861 at Abbeville, South Carolina and died on 4 May 1862 at the Confederate States Hospital, Petersburg, Virginia (diarrhea). He was on the last roll of January/February 1862. The file contains the following remarks: "Age 21 years. Final pay claim filed 23 January 1863 by H. H. Harper, Atty. Name given as Ep Caldwell in index to Rolls of S.C. Volunteers."

It is not known whether James Epaminades Caldwell married.

D. 25 ELIZABETH A. CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.17)
b. ca 1842 , d. m.
to:
their children:

D. 26 EUGENIA CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.17)
b. ca 1844 , d. 1923 , m. 1868
to: 1. Henderson Day Harbin 2. _____Crippen.
their children:(1.) E.19, E.20.

Eugenia Caldwell came west with her family after they lost the plantation in Abbeville District, South Carolina around 1866. She married Henderson Day Harbin in Yazoo County, Mississippi. Some of Henderson Day Harbin's descendants say that he was killed by a bear.

Eugenia was a midwife and lay physician, doctoring the sick in a wide area around the county. Tradition states that she would give her sons William Caldwell Harbin, John Ellington Harbin and her nephew William Henry Maben a whiff of chloroform to put them to sleep when she left home at night to tend to a sick neighbor.

D. 27 EDWARD ANDREW CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell C.17)
b. ca 1846 , d. , m.
to:
their children:

Edward Andrew Caldwell was born and reared near Lowndesville in Abbeville District, South Carolina as were his brothers and sisters.

According to National Archives records he enlisted in Company I, 14th South Carolina Infantry on 25 March 1864 at Lowndesville, South Carolina. He was paroled on 9 April 1865 at Appomattox Courthouse, Virginia. The files state that he was listed on the Roll for November/December 1864 and that he had enlisted for the duration of the War.

We have no further information on Edward Andrew Caldwell at this time.

Seated: Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28 and Frances Jeannette French Caldwell; Standing: Effie Caldwell E.25, Adelia Ellen Caldwell E.21 and Daisy Caldwell E.29. (Before 1918)

EFFIE CALDWELL E.25 and JOHN HENRY CALDWELL E.24 (Before 1925).

D. 28 LEMUEL JOSEPH CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell C.17)
b. 2 October 1847, d. 11 December 1918
m. 26 February 1873, Yazoo County, Mississippi
to: Frances Jeannette French
their children: E.21, E.22, E.23, E.24, E.25, E.26, E.27, E.28 E.29.

Lemuel Joseph Caldwell was born on the plantation near Lowndesville, Abbeville District, South Carolina which was settled and carved out of the wilderness bordering Indian lands around 1771 by his grandfather, James Caldwell. He was born in the old log house built by either James Caldwell or his son John around 1780-1790. A description of this structure is found earlier in this book.

Cotton was "King" at the time of his birth and the red soil of the piedmont area was cleared and planted extensively in the major cash crop of the era. Land that is now covered with pine forests and owned by major paper mills was for the most part cleared to provide a living for the many large families of the region.

The plantations of the time were relatively small when compared to the huge tidewater baronies but they were self-sufficient units where most of the necessities of life were produced on the plantation. Wheat and corn were raised for bread and feed for the livestock; hogs, sheep, cattle, horses and mules. In addition to the built-in labor force created by the large families of the day, most owned a few Negro slaves. The numbers of slaves held by the piedmont planters rarely approached the hundreds to be found on the large tidewater plantations near Charleston and Georgetown.

He learned early the meaning of work and the value of a dollar. The inherent frugality of his Scots-Irish heritage was evident in his behavior until his death.

His family was Methodist. His father had been raised a member of the Rocky River Presbyterian Church where his father and grandfather had been Elders. His mother, Elizabeth Moseley, a red-head, was said to have worn the "pants" in the family and had thus converted the longtime Presbyterians to the Methodist Church.

Toward the end of the Civil War he answered the call to defend his native soil from the invading hordes of Sherman's Yankee army. He and four of his brothers took up arms to defend their beloved South. This fierce determination to do battle with the agressor was no doubt rooted in their descent from stock which had through the ages opposed tyrants on both sides of the Atlantic. This independent nature was found in his ancestors who as Scots fought the English, went to Ireland with Cromwell to subdue the Irish and eventually crossed the seas to carve out homes in the wilderness of North America. They fought the French, the Indians and again the English in America's successful bid for independence. Not being large landowners nor possessed of great numbers of slaves they undoubtedly saw the War Between the States as a sequel to the War of Independence resulting from the increasing domination of the South by the highly industrialized North.

Shortly after his enlistment in the Confederate forces in Company B, 4th Battalion South Carolina Reserves on October 10, 1864, at Abbeville, he was captured by Federal forces at Hartwell, Georgia on 19 May, 1865 and paroled.

The war had played havoc with the economy of the South and he returned home to find economic chaos which eventually resulted in the loss of the plantation he so dearly loved. As noted earlier, his father had pledged his property as security for promissory notes executed by his sons John Henry and George W. Caldwell to buy land in Louisiana.

WEDDING DAY 1873

Frances Jeanette French stands beside her husband, Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28 on their wedding day, 26 February 1873, in Yazoo County, Mississippi.

Finally, in 1865 or 1866 the axe fell and William Harris Caldwell lost the land. It was sold at a Sheriff's sale and the family was forced off the land settled by James Caldwell almost a century previously.

They migrated westward to Mississippi and Louisiana. Sometime around 1866/67 William Harris and Elizabeth Moseley Caldwell died in Carroll Parish, Louisiana somewhere in the vicinity of Delhi where they are buried in unmarked graves.

Lem probably worked as a farm laborer for the next few years, saving as much of his earnings as possible with plans to one day purchase land of his own.

On February 26, 1873 he married Frances Jeannette French the fifteen year old daughter of John Henry and Ellen Parker French in Yazoo County, Mississippi. Her father had been either wounded or taken sick and had died in the Confederate Army Hospital in Meridian during the Civil War and her widowed mother and she had survived the horrors of the siege of Vicksburg, living in caves to avoid death from the Federal bombardment, subsisting on a starvation diet. Her mother was probably relieved when she found a promising young man to take on the responsibility of providing for and protecting her young daughter.

Sometime after their marriage the couple moved to the southern section of Louisiana in the vicinity of Morgan City. Their first two children, Adelia Ellen and Ida were born in Louisiana. One or two of Lemuel's older brothers is reputed to have lived in the area of Morgan City.

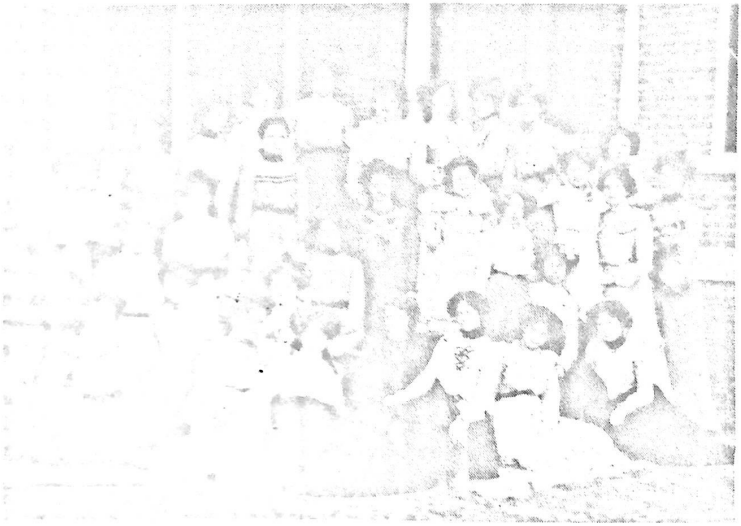
Prior to 1879 they came to Ashley County, Arkansas where he purchased eighty acres of sandy loam farm land east of the town of Poplar Bluff from a Jewish merchant by the name of Isaac Cohen. The name was changed to Parkdale after the coming of the railroad. During the long trek by wagon from Louisiana the family brought a milk cow tied to the wagon and hid their money in the bottom of the flour barrel or churn.

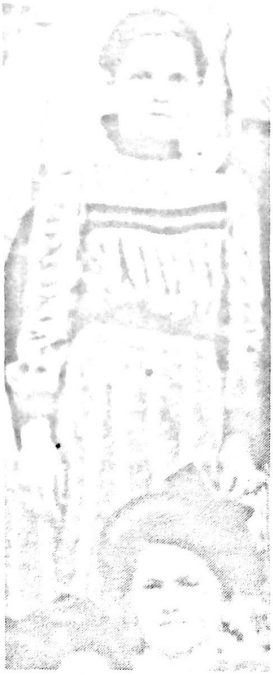
Their first child born in Ashley County was Florence Mae, followed by John Henry, Effie, Edward Andrew, Lemuel Joseph, Jr., Oliver Lewis and Daisy. We know that John Henry was born on the original eighty acres that his father bought and for many years a huge oak tree marked the spot long after the house had vanished.

Years passed, children were born and Lemuel Caldwell worked hard at making a living raising cotton, corn and other marketable produce. He saved what money he could and periodically purchased additional acreage. He purchased 160 acres from John H. Hoy and his wife in 1894, 120 acres from J. H. and J. S. O'Neal and H. E. Williams in section 22, in 1909 he bought 160 acres from W. L. and Turner Butler, also in section 22 for $3900.00. At his death in 1918 he owned a little over 1100 acres of good Mississippi Delta land. Clearing land was hard work before the days of bulldozers and chain saws. It was backbreaking labor utilizing axes, crosscut saws and grubing hoes. For that reason, only the best and most promising land was cleared leaving the low, poorly drained land for use as pasture for hogs and cattle. The stumps of large trees were removed by dynamiting.

During the latter part of the nineteenth and early part of the twentieth centuries most Arkansas farms were relatively self-sufficient; raising much of what was consumed right on the spot. Corn was produced for feed for the livestock and was also a main staple for making corn meal the primary source of bread. Sorghum and ribbon cane were planted both for livestock feed and the making of molasses at mills powered by mules. Every industrious farmer had an extensive garden plot.

After the weather cooled in the fall the slaughter of hogs and yearlings commenced.





FRANCES JEANETTE FRENCH

The young woman in the photograph at the left and above is believed to be Frances Jeanette French who married Lemual Joseph Caldwell D.28 in Mississippi in February 1873.

This picture was found in a trunk containing many old photographs which belonged to her grandson, Lemuel Joseph Caldwell, III F.66. The author compared this with later photographs of her and the similarity of facial bone structure and other other clues made him believe that this was indeed her.

The mystery persists concerning the group of young women with her. Was it a church group, school group or what? She was probably fourteen or fifthteen at the time since she married just a few months prior to her 15th birthday. Her mother was a widow of a Confederate soldier who died in the Confederate Army and was no doubt relieved that her young daughter had found a good man to marry her and take care of her. She and Lemuel J. Caldwell were married for over forty five years at his death in 1918.

"Hog-killin' time" was a big event and took on an almost festive air. Wash pots were filled with water which was brought to a boil prior to the killing of the hogs. The hot water was used to remove the hair from the carcass by scraping with a knife, leaving the pigskin snowy white. After the hog had been eviserated it was cut into primal cuts, hams, shoulders, bacon bellies and sausage meat. The hams, shoulders and bellies were then salted and hung in the smokehouse for curing, a process that took many weeks to complete. The hog head was trimmed thoroughly of every ounce of edible meat and combined with the ears, snout and tongue for cooking and processing into "hoghead souse". The natural gelatinous material of the ears and snout cooled and held the tasty product together. Sage and other preferred seasonings were used to make souse or headcheese a delicacy. The fat left over from trimming the primal cuts was then placed in a large pot and cooked until the the liquified oils separated from the fiber. The results was the "Crisco" used as shortening. A by-product of rendering lard was the delicious and rich "cracklins" which were used to make the old favorite "cracklin' bread" (cornbread).

Little was wasted except the "squeal" and one of the choicest parts was the "chittlins", the large intestines. Southerners are for the most part ambivalent when it comes to "chittlins", either waxing eloquent in describing the culinary delights of eating them or condemning them for being malodorous and disgusting.

Whatever meat was left was then put through a hand-cranked sausage grinder for conversion into "pure pork" sausage, expertly seasoned with all manner of aromatic and tasty spices; sage, red pepper, salt and black pepper. Often this concoction would be stuffed into the small intestine and tied off into links which were then placed in the smokehouse for curing.

Occasionally a fat yearling was killed. Meat that was not consumed immediately after was often cut into manageable portions, placed in earthenware crocks and salted-down. This process resulted in pickled beef which would remain edible for a considerable length of time.

Lem Caldwell believed that idle hands were "the devil's workshop" and required his offspring to work in the fields regularly. When the crops were gathered or it rained he could always find something constructive for them to do, shelling corn in the crib, mending harness or other equipment.

He was well known for his thrift which was in keeping with his almost pure Scottish ancestry. The only apparent dilution of this heritage was from his mother, Elizabeth Moseley, who was of English descent and even here we find the infusion of Scottish blood from her mother, Jane McKinley. When one of his children asked him for a penny her would reply "I'll give you the first one I find in a pig's track". During harvest time he could often be seen driving a wagonload of cotton to Parkdale to be ginned, stopping along the way to pick loose cotton from the tree limbs overhanging the dusty road. There is no way to estimate how much extra cotton he gleaned this way.

Another example of his thrift ocurred in the early 1900's when he loaned his son John Henry money to go into the mercantile business in Parkdale and built a brick store building which he leased to his son. A year or so afterward he casually asked John Henry how his business was faring and when the reply was "good", he announced that he would have to raise the rent. John Henry quickly spoke up and informed his father that that would not be possible. "Why not?" Lem asked. Reaching into the safe behind him, his son replied, "because of this, the lease you signed". Nothing more was said about raising the rent.

VISITING HOT SPRINGS, ARKANSAS (Before 1917): From left to right: Oliver Lewis Caldwell E.28, Effie Mae Caldwell E.25, Edward Andrew Caldwell E.26 and Frances Jeannette French Caldwell D.28.

IN CALIFORNIA ABOUT 1907

John Henry Caldwell E.24 is seen at the left in the second row while on a trip to California in search of economic opportunity. He returned to Ashley county, Arkansas and remained there for the rest of his life as a merchant and farmer.

FRANCES J. CALDWELL AND GRANDCHILDREN

Frances Jeanette Caldwell (Mrs. Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28) is seated with her grandchildren standing behind her: James Henry CaldwellF.61, Donnie Bell Land F.40, Johnnie Caldwell Files F.57, Erma Caldwell Howie F.60 and John Paul Caldwell F.54. This photograph was taken in 1936 or 1937 in John Henry Caldwell's E.24 front yard in Parkdale, Arkansas. For many years it was traditional to hold a family reunion each April on or near Frances J. Caldwell's birthday. Hundreds of relatives and family friends gathered for an oldfashioned barbecue of beef, pork, chicken and goat.

As a youngster of nine or ten years of age I was especially intrigued with the process employed in preparing the various kinds of meats served. There were several negro men living on the Caldwell farm at the time who were experts in the art of pit barbecuing and they spent the entire night prior to the gathering sitting around a pit dug in the ground turning and basting the succulent fare with their "secret" sauces. Most of the time they were, Uncle John Veasey, Uncle Jeff Akins, Cam Carver and Will Skinner. I strove mightily to remain awake as they spun their yarns and drank their black coffee but never made it through the entire night. Uncle Jeff and Uncle John were special to all of the family, having been on the farm for many, many years. Uncle Jeff was there when John Henry Caldwell E.24 was born in 1882 working as a cook for the family. He and his wife Aunt Ella remained on the place until the 1950's when he moved to Little Rock to live with his son. For many years he worked as a clerk in the Caldwell Mercantile Store.

His concern about "going broke" caused him to ask John Henry one d
if he could pay what he owed. John Henry told him, "yes, if you'll g
me a few days to raise the money". "Oh no, that's alright son, I
wanted to be sure you could pay me if I needed it".

Most Sunday afternoons Lemuel Caldwell could be found sitt
branches of a large cedar tree in his front yard, reading his
visiting with any passerby who happened to make his way
nearby. Cedars are not native to the low lands of South Carolina
but abound in the piedmont section of South Carolina. That old cedar
so he planted a cedar in his yard to remind him of his
Abbeville County, South Carolina. That old cedar must
and scarred but unbowed to this day and must have
He and his wife Frances Jeannette had struck
reached adulthood. However, tragedy struck his
Lemuel Joseph, Jr.'s wife were killed when
at a crossing in Parkdale. It seems
for ice for sister Effie who was
accident and was carried on the
track. This injury is thought
birth several years later.

Lem Caldwell died in 1918
having influenza during the
that year. He was buried in
so many of his kin are buried
lies next to his wife of
His widow moved to
Dr. R. G. Williams home
columns across the front
the front and part of
family moved back to
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Blanks lived with
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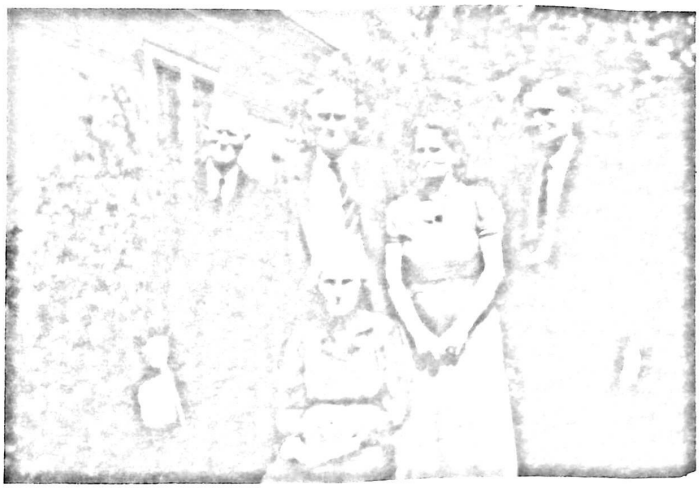
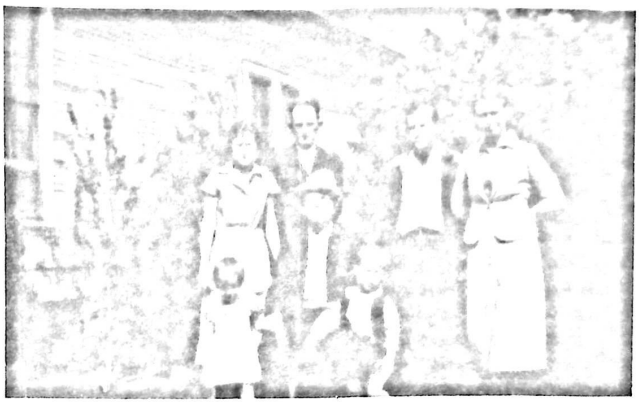


CALDWELL REUNION

Frances French Caldwell (Mrs. Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28) is seen seated with her surviving children standing behind her. They are (L to R): Edward Andrew Caldwell E.26, John Henry Caldwell E.24, Florence Caldwell Blanks E.23 and Lemuel Joseph Caldwell, Jr. E.27. This photograph was taken at Dermott, AR a few years prior to Mrs. Caldwell's death in 1944.



THE BELLS AND THE LANDS

John Robert Bell, Sr. (husband of Adelia Ellen Caldwell E21) is seated with his granddaughter, Donnie Adelia Land G.90, and his grandson, Jackie Bell G.93 beside him. Standing behind him from left to right are: Daisy Donnie Bell Land F.40 and her husband Will Land, Jack Bell F.42 and wife Jewell

Surviving photographs of Lemuel J. and Frances J. Caldwell show h with a long white beard and she with a stern visage with piercing eyes A final anecdote; The county seat of Ashley County is at Hamburg, twe miles west of Parkdale over, at the time, dirt roads. Frequently, tho who lived in the eastern or bottom section of the county had to travel Hamburg to record deeds, mortgages or transact other business. On one occasion, Grandpa and Grandma Caldwell were there; she visited the sho on the courthouse square while he took care of his business in the cou house. Much later that afternoon he was approached by a friend on the streets of Parkdale and told, "Mr. Caldwell, I just saw Mrs. Caldwell c at Hamburg this afternoon". I don't know the outcome of this incident b would be willing to bet Grandpa Caldwell high-tailed it back over the d roads to Hamburg as fast as his mode of transportation would go!

D. 29 OREN JONES CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell
b. ca 1849 , d. , m. C.17)
to:
their children:

Nothing is known about the life of this person. It has been said that he "went to Texas".

D. 30 LOUISA M. BOWMAN (Dgtr of Sarah Cummins Caldwell C.
b. ca 1826 , d. , m.
to:
their children:

D. 31 ALONZO ZACHARIA BOWMAN (Son of Sarah Cummins Caldwe
b. ca 1828 , d. , m. C.18
to:
their children:

D. 31 ELIZABETH C. BOWMAN (Dgtr of Sarah Cummins Caldwell
b. ca 1830 , d. , m. C.18)
to:
their children:

D. 33 NANCY JANE BOWMAN (Dgtr of Sarah Cummins Caldwell
b. ca 1833 , d. , m.
to:
their children:

D. 34 LAURA M. BOWMAN (Dgtr of Sarah Cummins Caldwell C.
b. ca 1835 , d. , m.
to:
their children:

D. 35 WILLIAM ALEXANDER THOMPSON OLIVER (Son of Sarah Cummins Caldwell C.18)
b. ca 1841 d.
m. To:
Their Children:

D. 36 M. B. OLIVER (Son of Sarah Cummins Caldwell C.18)
b. ca 1843 d.
m. To:
Their Children:

D. 37 CASPER H. OLIVER (Son of Sarah Cummins Caldwell C.18)
b. ca 1845 d.
m. To:
Their Children:

D. 38 MASON J. OLIVER (Son of Sarah Cummins Caldwell C.18)
b. ca 1847 d.
m. To:
Their Children:

This information is from the 1850 census of Abbeville District, SC. Descendants of this family still live in the county.

D. 39 WILLIAM A. CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell C.45)
b. ca 1828 d. ca 1862 (Civil War)
m. 29 June 1848, Coweta County, Georgia.
To: Mary A. Lyle.
Their Children: E.30, E.31, E.32, E.33, E.34, E.35, E.36.

D. 40 JOSIAH BURNS CALDWELL (Son of William H. Caldwell C.45)
b. 18 June 1830, d. 13 November 1896.
m. 20 March 1855
To: Joanna Miller Carter.
Their Children: E.37, E.38, E.39, E.40, E.41.

He was born in South Carolina, probably in Abbeville District and likely married in Georgia. Census records indicate that his wife was born in Virginia. He is listed in the Carroll County, Georgia census 4 September 1850, Family #126, as being twenty years of age and a laborer...in his father's household. We find him again in the Polk County, Georgia census, 1880, Easom Hill,Family #437:

J. Burns Caldwell	W	M	40	Head Hsehld-Farmer	SC	SC	NC
Joanna M. Caldwell	W	F	41	Wife-Keeping House	VA	VA	VA
I. Nonnie Caldwell	W	F	20	Dau Teaching School	GA	SC	VA
Lula B. Caldwell	W	F	16	Daughter	GA	SC	VA
Thomas L. Caldwell	W	M	13	Son Farming	GA	SC	VA
Robert A. Caldwell	W	M	8	Son	GA	SC	VA

The following is a letter written from T. R. Caldwell of Amory, Miss. to Lula Burns Caldwell shortly before the death of his brother Josiah Burns Caldwell.

Amory Miss Oct 29th 96

"Lula yours of 22 to hand while it brings the sad news of Brothers illness it is not a Surprise to me I have bin expecting it since I left him. I thought then that I was looking on him for the last time in this life. If I could do any good by coming I would come at once but instead of good it would be a sad trip for me while you all have my simpathy I feel that I could not enjoy the seen of his affliction & probably his death when I could render nothing in the way of relief and while I can but weep on account of his condition I feel that I and you have the consolation that he is better off believing that his way is clear to a better and happy plase. This leaves all well. We have had a very dry fall but had a fine rain yesterday. We are through gathering our crops & only have them to market which is a short job. Homer is at Galveston, Texas or was the other day he is looking over the State before he settles down he has been gone 3 months he dont speak of coming back. Where does Will live Send me his adress & I will Send it to Homer & he probably will get to see him.

With my best wishes & Prares for you all I remain yours Truly &c

/s/ T. R. Caldwell

OBITUARY NOTICE from Cedartown Standard:

CALDWELL---Brother J. B. Caldwell was born in South Carolina, on June 18, 1830, and came to Georgia while a boy. In early manhood he joined the Methodist church, to which he was loyal to the end of his life. From his home at Esom Hill he went to his home above on November 13, 1896. For two years previous to his death, this writer was his pastor, and found in him, a friend indeed. Loyal to his church, true to every duty in life, he was loved by all who knew him. Christians saw much in him to emulate, especially in the heroic manner in which he met the obligations of life as a man and a Christian. The World was obliged to say that he was an "Israelite in whom is no guile". His faith was in God and no hinderance nor disappointment caused him to shirk or murmur.

His many friends say that no truer nor more heroic soldier ever faced an enemy! "on time" seemed to be his motto. Well do I remember the disappointed look, when, on account of a clock gone wrong, he was late to church. Exposure on the battlefield, fighting for his country, and in standing to his post as a public servant since the war closed, brought him at the close of his life. But the wife and children know that in the home of the good their loved one awaits their coming. May God's richest Blessings be upon them all." J. T. Eakes.

A descendant of Josiah Burns Caldwell, John Thomas Caldwell of Los Alamos, New Mexico, states that though no documentation or service record has been found proving his service during the Civil War, there is a medal (put out after 1900) commemorating his service.

Other family correspondence notes that the ailment from which he suffered was tuberculosis.

D. 41 ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.45)
b. ca 1834 , d. , m.
to: Lyle.
their children: E.42, E.43, E.44, E.45, E.46.

D. 42 FRANCIS CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell C.45)
b. ca 1837 , d. , m.
to:
their children:

D. 43 JOHN CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell C.45)
b. ca 1838/39 , d. , m.
to:
their children: E.47, E.48, E.49, E.50.

D. 44 THOMAS ROGERS CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell C.45)
b. 04 April 1840 , d. 13 December 1910
m. *25 February 1872* to: Mary Jane Johnson
their children: E.51, E.52, E.53, E.54, E.55.

Thomas Rogers Caldwell was born near Noonan, Georgia, the son of William Harris Caldwell and his wife Jane Allen Caldwell.

Following is a sketch taken from the Mississippi Official and Statistical Register for 1908, page 1067:

MONROE COUNTY

THOMAS ROGERS CALDWELL, of Amory, was born April 4, 1837, near Noonan, Georgia, the son of William Harris Caldwell and his wife, Jane (Allen) Caldwell. Paternal ancestors came from Ireland; maternal from Scotland, both lines settled Abbeville District, S. C. Mr. Caldwell's grandfather, William Caldwell, fought in the Revolutionary War, his father was Colonel of South Carolina militia for fifteen years. Mr. Caldwell attended the common schools of Carrollton, Ga., in his youth later he read law for a time in an office in Aberdeen, Miss., but did not practice the profession.

He entered the Confederate Army as a private in Company A, Sixteenth Alabama Regiment, later was transferred to the Twenty-sixth Alabama, with the rank of First Lieutenant. He was with Bragg at Perryville, with Jackson at Chancellorsville, with Hood at Franklin and with Johnston on the retreat through Georgia. He was wounded six times during his four years of service. After the war he organized a patrol company which did good service in keeping order in Monroe County during reconstruction times.

Mr. Caldwell's occupation has always been that of farming. He was Justice of the Peace in 1876-77, Supervisor in 1878-79, and Representative in the Legislature in 1892-93, and was elected to the House of Representatives Novmeber 5, 1907. He is a Democrat, was on the County Executive Committee in 1868-69; is a Methodist, and member of the Masonic Order.

He was married near Smithville, February 25, 1872, to Mary Jane Johnson, daughter of Israel Pickens Johnson and Julia Caroline (Thompson) Johnson, of Abbeville, S. C., whose family was of Irish descent.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell have five children; Julia Caroline (at home), Walter Harris Caldwell, of Smithville; Mrs. Bertie Caldwell Dilworth of Jasper, Ala.; Homer Franklin Caldwell with the U.S. Army in Cuba, and Thomas Young Caldwell, Amory.

The 1880 census of Monroe County, Mississippi, District 124, Smithville Precinct, Family #426 lists as follows:

CALDWELL, T. R.	Farmer	40	M	W	GA	SC	NC	Head of Hseld
CALDWELL, Mollie	Keep House	41	F	W	MS	SC	SC	Wife
CALDWELL,Callie	Goes/school	10	F	W	MS	GA	MS	Daughter
CALDWELL, Harris	Goes/school	7	M	W	MS	GA	MS	Son
CALDWELL, Birtie	Goes?school	5	F	W	MS	GA	MS	Daughter
CALDWELL, Homer		4	M	W	MS	GA	MS	Son
CALDWELL, Thomas		2	M	W	MS	GA	MS	Son
JOHNSON, J. C.		68	F	W	SC	SC	SC	Mother-in-law
CALDWELL, Charley	Work/farm	21	M	W	GA	GA	GA	Nephew
JONES, R. W.	Sch/teacher	30	M	W	MS	TN	TN	Boarder

D. 45 BENJAMIN CALDWELL (Son of William H. Caldwell C.45)
b. 5 May 1846 d. 27 April 1879 m. ca 1875
To: Margaret G. Sisk.
Their Children: E.56, E.57, E.58.

D. 46 ABNER W. CALDWELL (Son of William H. Caldwell C.45)
b. 6 October 1849, Carroll County, Georgia.
d. 4 August 1923, Lee County, Mississippi, bur: Baldwin City Cem.
m. (1). 23 December 1879, To: Mary E. Sisk
(2). ca 1899 To: Martha Ellen Tapp
Their Children: (1). E.59, E.60, E.61. (2). E.62.

D. 47 SARAH CHAMBERS (Dgtr of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 29 May 1827, SC, d. 26 July 1900, Carroll County, Georgia.
m. 4 April 1850, To: Thomas M. Banks.
Their Children:

For Chambers descendants see 1850 census of Coweta County, Georgia.

D. 48 WILLIAM H. CHAMBERS (Son of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 15 February 1829, SC, d. after 1900.
m. 4 September 1862, To: Sarah Houston.
Their Children:

D. 49 FRANCES E. CHAMBERS (Dgt of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 28 April 1831, S.C. d.
m. 3 December 1860, Carroll County, GA.
To: Sam Herring.
Their Children:

See census at D.45, family Bible.

D. 50 ELVIRA E. CHAMBERS (Dgt of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 3 March 1833, S.C., d.
m. 14 March 1867, Carroll County, GA.
To: H. J. Ayres.
Their Children:

See census at D.45, family Bible.

D. 51 JAMES A. CHAMBERS (Son of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 11 March 1835, Ala. d. after 1900.
m. 31 Junly 1856,
To: Martha H. Fowler.
Their Children:

See census at D.45, family Bible.

D. 52 GEORGE W. CHAMBERS (Son of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 18 February 1841, Georgia, d. after 1900.
m. 2 September 1883, Georgia.
To: Nancy E. Barr.
Their Children:

See census at D.45, family Bible.

D. 53 JOSEPH A. CHAMBERS (Son of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 29 January 1844, Georgia, d. after 1910.
m. 2 February 1869, Georgia.
To; Martha A. Barr.
Their Children:

See census at D.45, family Bible.

D. 54 BENJAMIN F. CHAMBERS (Son of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 12 October 1847, Georgia, d. 10 September 1900, Carroll County, Georgia.
m. 16 February 1870, Georgia.
To: Louisa J. Barr.
Their Children:

See census at D.45, family Bible.

D. 55 ROBERT D. CHAMBERS (Son of Jane Caldwell C.46)
b. 9 December 1849, Georgia, d.
m. 26 May 1868,
To: Lucina Cash.
Their Children:

See census at D.45, family Bible.

This Chambers material furnished to the author by Mary Lou Caldwell Whelchel, John Thomas Caldwell and Martin Chambers, 3625 Keswick Drive, Chamblee, Georgia 30341.

D. 56 WILLIAM YOUNG (Son of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. ca 1838, South Carolina.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

See the 1850 census of Anderson District, South Carolina, Western Division, Family #939, page 220, September 27, 1850 for this family.

D. 57 NANCY E. YOUNG (Dgtr of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. ca 1840, South Carolina
d.
m.
TO;
Their Children:

D. 58 JANE A. YOUNG (Dgtr of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. ca 1842, South Carolina.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

D. 59 MARY YOUNG (Dgtr of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. ca 1844, South Carolina, d.
m. , To:
Their Children:

D. 60 JOHN J. YOUNG (Son of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. ca 1846, South Carolina, d.
m. To:
Their Children:

D. 61 LOUISA E. YOUNG (Dgtr of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. October 1847, SC d.
m. 20 December 1866, MS, To: Thaddeus M. Bryson.
Their Children:

D. 62 SAMUEL M. YOUNG (Son of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. ca 1851, South Carolina, d.
m. To:
Their Children:

D. 63 MARTHA E. YOUNG (Dgtr of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. ca 1853, South Carolina, d.
m. To:
Their Children:

D. 64 MARGARET E. YOUNG (Dgtr of Alvirah Caldwell C.48)
b. ca 1857, Mississippi, d.
m. To:
Their Children:

D. 65 WILLIAM SANDY CALDWELL (Son of Benjamin Franklin Caldwell C.49)
b. ca 1857, AL, d. 11 January 1936.
m.
To: Alice Norvelle of Carlisle, Kentucky.
Their Children: E.63, E.64, E.65, E.66, E.67, E.68.

D. 66 DEWIE CALDWELL (Son of Benjamin F. Caldwell C.49)
b. 6 May 1859, d. 1927.
m. Never married.

Born near Douglasville, Atlanta County, Texas, buried in Renfroe Cemetery, Talladega County, Alabama.

D. 67 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Benjamin Franklin Caldwell C.49)
b. 26 March 1864, d. 16 January 1936
m. 5 March 1900, to: Willie Hunter Cook.
their children: E. 69, E. 70, E. 71, E. 72, E. 73, E. 74, E.75.

He was born two miles east of Douglasville (near Atlanta), Cass County, Texas. He is buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Talladega, Alabama.

From the Mary Lou Caldwell Whelchel Caldwell Manuscript:

"For this ancestor, born two miles east of Douglasville near Atlanta, Texas, I begin by quoting from a newspaper memorial dated January 16, 1936 - 'Mr. Caldwell had lived a useful life, at one time being a leading merchant in Talladega County. His children have lost an indulgent father, his wife a noble husband, his friends, one who never denied them a favor. As one of those children, I'd like to say I believe few fathers were put on a pedestal and worshipped by his children as he was. Seven children, 18 months to 2 years apart, are a lot of children, but he managed to keep us all happy. My recollections include many fights among the children to see who had the privilege of taking him a drink of water, half the time ending up with him having to police the fights. He would go to town about 20 miles away and if he brought home one pair of shoes or one coat, he would bring seven; a remarkable part is nine times out of ten they would all fit. He never went to town for groceries, business, etc. without always bringing something for the youngsters.

I believe he was paid many times over for being an indulgent father in the remarks of his many friends in later life - they would say on more than one occasion - I'd give anything if my children thought as much of me as yours do of you. I'll always be thankful that when he had to correct us, after we were teen-agers, he never did it in front of other people, he would wait until we got home. I also recall very vividly telling him I was thinking about getting married and asking him what he thought about it - his reply was - ask my advice about anything else and I'll give it to you, but you and you alone will have to make the decision as to who you are going to marry.'

In possession of one of his daughters, Louisa (Caldwell) Pope, is a scholarship medal. On one side it reads: 'First prize, 1879, Planters Institute.' On the other side - 'Excellence in Scholarship' with the name G. H. Miller shown on it.

This Benjamin Franklin Caldwell was deprived of the love and care of a father for as noted, he was killed in the Confederate Army before he could remember him. Soon after the death of his father, his mother brought the three boys back to Alabama to help take care of her father, William Alexander Morriss, who had lost his wife. When she got to Alabama with the boys, it seems her father could not stand the noise of so many boys so Louisa (Morriss) Caldwell's sister in Kentucky came and got the oldest boy, William Sandy Caldwell.

During Ben's lifetime he was a farmer, blacksmith, merchant, ginner and jack of all trades. He has often told how he farmed all week, worked 12 hours in a blacksmith shop on Saturday to make $15 or $20 and then went to a box supper and had to pay it all to get to eat with his girl because the others pooled their resources and kept the

bidding going. If the snow was deep enough he would go courtin' in a sled made by taking the wheels off the buggy and hitching the horses to it.

He had a natural born instinct for keeping machinery running economically and effectively. His time was given to his own business during the week, but during ginning season, Continental Gin Company (125 year old ginning company in Alabama) kept him busy on Sundays with their cry for help at one of their many gins. They paid him $25.00 a day which early in the 1900's was a LOT of money. He said on several occasions when he was able to clear the trouble in thirty minutes or so, his conscience hurt him for taking their money.

On March 5, 1900 "Ben" was married to Willie Hunter Cook at Plantersville Methodist Church, near Alpine, Alabama. Details are given in the Cook Family History.

D. 68 NARCISSA CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. ca 1852, Newton County, MS, d.
m. , to:
their children:

See 1870 census and marriage records of Newton County, Mississippi.

D. 69 JOSEPHINE CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. ca 1854, Newton County, MS, d.
m. 27 March 1873, to: John E. Harris
their children:

See 1870 census and marriage records of Newton County, Mississippi.

D. 70 VIRGINIA CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. ca 1856, Newton County, MS, d.
m. 30 December 1873, to: Thomas J. Reynolds
their children:

See 1870 census and marriage records of Newton County, Mississippi.

D. 71 EMANUEL CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. ca 1858, Newton County, MS, d. , m. 22 Dec. 1883
to: R. E. Ford.
their children:

See 1870 census and marriage records of Newton County, Mississippi.

D. 72 MARY A. F. CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. ca 1861, Newton County, MS, d.
m. 26 July 1879, to: G. K. Reynolds.
their children:

See 1870 census and marriage records of Newton County, Mississippi.

D. 73 WILLIAM HARRIS CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. 14 February 1863, d. 1944
m. 30 December 1886, Newton County, MS
to: Sarah Louisa Smith.
their children: E.76, E.77, E.78, E.79, E.80, E.81, E.82, E.83, E.84, E.85, E.86, E.87, E.88, E.89, E.90, E.91, E.92, E.93.

He was born in Newton County, Mississippi and married Sarah Louisa Smith there. She was born 5 January 1865 and died on 4 November 1951 in Franklin Parish, Louisiana. He died in Richland Parish, Louisiana.

D. 74 MARSETT CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. ca 1865 , d.
m. 30 November 1887, to: L. E. Thrash
their children:

See 1870 census and marriage records of Newton County, Mississippi.

D. 75 EMMA ELLA CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. November 1870, d.
m. 6 December 1888, to: H. Preston Everett.
their children:

D. 76 SALLIE E. CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell C.61)
b. ca 1872 , d.
m. 23 January 1890, to: R. H. McGee, Jr.
their children:

E. 1 IDA A. CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Thompson Caldwell D.11)
b. , d. , m. 2 February 1882
to: Frank O. McGhee
their children: F.1, F.2, F.3, F.4, F.5, F.6, F.7.

E. 2 JOHN EDGAR CALDWELL (Son of William Drayton Caldwell D.12)
b. 5 August 1860, Kymulga, Talladega County, Alabama
d. 20 November 1933, Grasmere, Talladega County, Alabama
m. 15 March 1885, to: Cornelia Frances Billingsley
their children: F.8, F.9, F.10, F.11, F.12, F.13, F.14, F.15, F.16, F.17, F.18, F.19, F.20, F.21.

His wife, Cornelia Frances Billingsley, was born 27 November 1864 in Elmore County, Alabama, the daughter of Marion Francis Billingsley and Mary Ann Epsie Thomas. They were married at Fayetteville, Talladega County, Alabama and were members of the Cartersville Baptist Church, Talladega County, Alabama.

In August, 1933 the following appeared in a local newspaper:

GRASMERE RESIDENT PLAYS HOST TO 100 AT BRITHDAY PARTY:

Seventy-Fifth Anniversary is Celebrated with 11 of 12 Children Present.

GRASMERE: Eleven of their 12 children and several grandchildren joined Mr. and Mrs. John E. Caldwell in celebrating the former's seventy-third birthday anniversary, which took the form of a barbecue dinner served under the large oaks in their yard. Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell are shown in the accompanying picture with birthday cake.

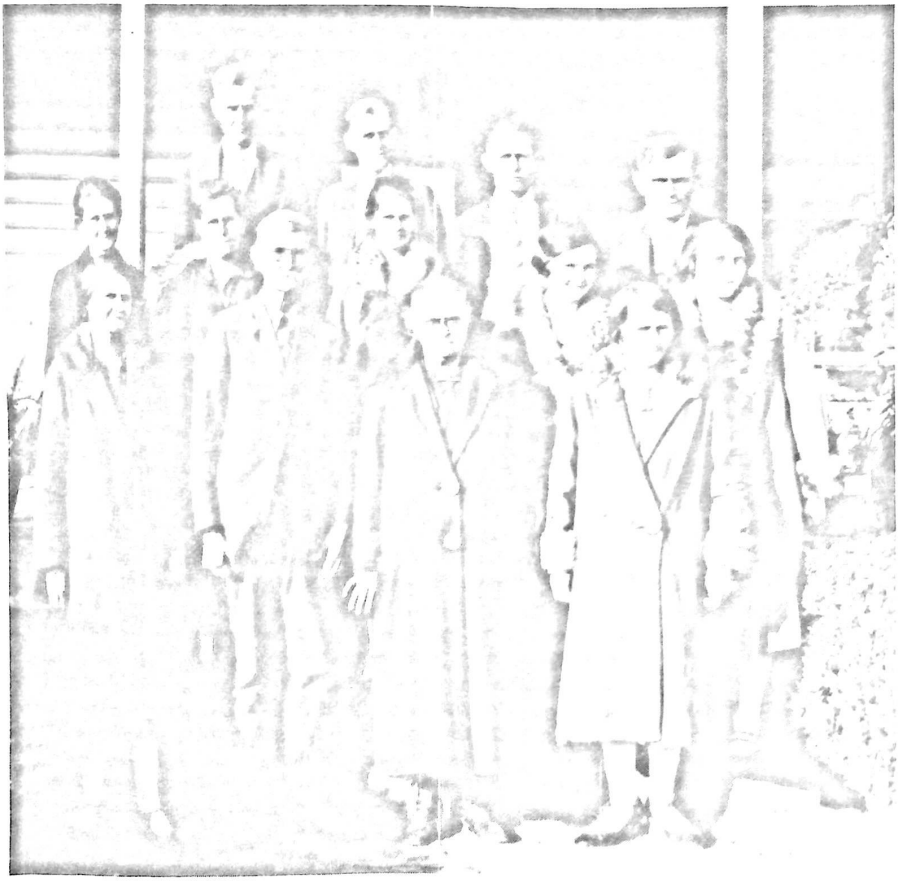
Two large cakes with one candle for each year of his age, baked by his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Grace Caldwell. . .

The one absent daughter, Mrs. Mavis Wesson, sent congratulations and wishes for many more years of health and happiness.

All of the 12 children, four boys and eight girls, are living. These are Edgar D., Easley L., Willie C. and John M. Caldwell; Mrs. Dallis Saxon, Mrs. Annie Hare, Mrs. Josie Strickland, Mrs. Iris Maxwell, Mrs. Lucille Hudson, Mrs. Therie Rorie and Mrs. Eunice Banks.

*More than 100 person were present, including Doris, Sylacauga, daughter of Edgar; Bradford, Howard and Graham, sons of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caldwell of Lanier; Pierce, son of Mrs. H. P. Saxon, Goodwater; Mildred, Elise and Ada V., daughters of Mrs. Hare, Grasmere; John T., Lucille, Walter, Mary, Ben, Jr., Emmer Joe, Willie and Edwin, children of Mrs. Strickland, Alpine; K. J., W. A., and Eloise, children of Mrs. Maxwell, Grasmer; Herbert, Earl and Rutelia, children of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, Renfore (*Editor's Note: this should read 'Mr. and Mrs. Willie Clyde Caldwell).

Leta Mae and Mildred Lois, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, Grasmer; Virginia and Patricia, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Rorie, Grasmer; Dewitt, Eleanor and Eschol, children of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, Grasmer; Milton and Evelyn, children of Mr. and Mrs. Banks of Jasper; Miss Leta McGaughy of Birmingham; Mrs. Lecil Gunter and children, McKay, Durell and Sara Nell; Mr and Mrs. T. Scruggs, M. A. Foster, Mrs. W. A. Bates and daughter, Katheryn, all of Childersburg:



THE JOHN EDGAR CALDWELL FAMILY

1st row, L to R: Dollie Caldwell Saxon, F.10, John Edgar Caldwell, E.2, Cornelia Billingsley Caldwell, Annie Caldwell Hare, F.11, 2nd row, L to R: Iris Caldwell Maxwell, F.13, Josie Caldwell Strickland, F.12, Mavis Caldwell Wesson, F.16, Lucille Caldwell Brown, F.17, Therie Caldwell Rorie, F.19. 3rd row, L to R: Edgar Drayton Caldwell, F.8, Easley Lafayette Caldwell, F.9, Johnny Marion Caldwell, F.20, Willie Clyde Caldwell, F.15. Eunice Caldwell Banks, F.21, was not present when this picture was taken in November 1928.

Mrs. W. T. Green, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Joiner and daughter, Carolyn, of Gantt's Quarry; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Caldwell and son Albert of Lanier; Mrs. James Caldwell and daughter, Carolyn, of Lanier; Miss Nellie Rorie, W. B. Hare, H. C. Hare, A. B. Parks, H. M. Harrison, J. H. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Maxwell and son, R. D. Maxwell, of Grasmer; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Vincent and children, Billy, Jimmie, Jean and Lois; Jimmie Lou Strickland, Jackie Boy and W. T. Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mitchell, Alpine; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armbrester, Renfroe; Mrs. B. S. Maxwell and daughter, Lula, Chattanooga, Tenn.

MRS. JOHN CALDWELL SUFFERS FALL IN WELL

Condition Is Described Monday As Satisfactory at Hospital

Mrs. John Caldwell, 65, of Grasmere, was in Citizen's hospital Monday with severe injuries to her back following an almost miraculous escape from death when she fell into a 40-foot well early Sunday at the home of her son, William Caldwell, near Barclay's.

Mrs. Caldwell went to the well with her grandson to draw water early Sunday morning and fell when the well sill gave way under her. The well contained about four feet of water.

The grandson called to Mr. Will Caldwell and several other men who lowered ropes to Mrs. Caldwell and pulled her out of the well. She braced herself against the side of the well while she tied the ropes around her body and held on so the men could pull her up.

The extent of her injuries had not been determined Monday morning although her condition was described by attending physicians as "satisfactory".

(Leta Mae Knight Camp, her granddaughter, writes, "I don't know when Grandma Caldwell fell in the well but I sure remember it. The attached article said she was 65 so it would have been after November 1929. It seems that this happened during warm weather so it could have been around summer of 1930 - anyway before her birthday in November 1930.

Grandma was a sturdy lady. It seems she was the calmest one of all when they were trying to devise ways of getting her out. She put the boards of the sills that gave way under her feet which were floating on the water under her arms to keep her afloat.)

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. CALDWELL

Mrs. Cornelia Frances Caldwell, 76, died Sunday morning at 8 o'clock at her residence at Alpine.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2:30 p.m. at Oak Grove Church, Rev. Owen officiating with Usrey in charge.

Surviving are four sons, Edgar of Sylacauga, Easley and Johnnie of Alpine and Willy of Renfroe; eight daughters, Mrs. Dollie Sexton of Goodwater (ed. note: should be SAXON), Mrs. Annie Hare, Mrs. Johnnie Strickland, Mrs. Lucille Hudson, all of Alpine; Mrs. Iris Maxwell of Munford, Mrs. Marion Wesson of Childersburg, Mrs. Owen Rorie of Alpine and Mrs. Eunice Banks of Jasper; 64 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren; six brothers and five sisters.

MRS. CORNELIA B. CALDWELL

"Sunset and evening star and one clear call to me"

The many friends and relatives of Mrs. Cornelia Billingsley Caldwell are sad and miss her so much. Her death occured early Sunday morning, Nov. 10, 1940.

She was the wife of the late J. E. Caldwell a well known farmer near Grasmere who lived in that vicinity for 70 years and who went to reap his heavenly reward Nov. 20, 1933.

Mrs. Caldwell was born Nov. 27, 1864. Had been a member of Baptist Church for 50 years. Her's was a life of usefulness and success for her family, friends and master. She expressed her prayers of late as waiting for "His call".

Funeral services were held Nov. 11, at Oak Grove church, Revs. Phillips, Owens and Berkstresser officiating. Interment was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Usrey conducting, active pallbearers were grandsons, flower girls were granddaughters.

She is survived by 12 children: E. D. Caldwell, Sylacauga, E. L. Caldwell, Plantersville, W. C. Caldwell, Renfroe, Mrs. H. P. Saxon, Goodwater, Mrs. B. F. Strickland, Risers Chapel, Mrs. W. A. Maxwell, Munford, Mrs. J. T. Banks, Jasper, J. M. Caldwell, Mrs. B. R. Hare, Mrs. O. A. Rorie, Mrs. W. D. Hudson, Mrs. M. A. Wesson, Grasmere; 59 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren, six brothers, five sisters.

JOHN E. CALDWELL, WELL KNOWN FARMER, IS DEAD

Funeral Services Will Be Held At Oak Grove On Wednesday

John E. Caldwell, 73, well-known Lanier farmer, died at his home late Monday night after several days illness.

The funeral service will be held at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at Oak Grove church, Rev. S. J. Ingram, pastor of the Spring Street Baptist church, officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery, Usrey conducting.

Mr. Caldwell had lived in the vicinity of Lanier practically all his life. He was a member of the Baptist church.

Surviving are the widow, eight daughters, Mesdames Dollie Saxon, Goodwater; Annie Hare, Josie Strickland, Eris Maxwell, Theria Rorie, Lucille Hudson, Laniers; Mavis Wesson, Talladega and Eunice Banks, Jasper; four sons, Edgar, Sylacauga; Easley and Johnnie, Laniers; and Willie Caldwell, Renfroe; and two brothers, Ed of Childersburg and Frank Caldwell of Anniston.

He is survived also by 53 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

E. 3 WILLIAM DRAYTON CALDWELL,JR. (Son of William Drayton Caldwel D.12)
b. 1863, d. 5 October 1926
m. 1918, to: Maude Mae Hendon
their children: Mary Frances Caldwell (adopted).

He was born at Kymulga, Talladega County, Alabama and is buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama.

He married first Letitia Hendrick. She died 4 October 1915.

His second wife was born 16 May 1892 at Cullman, Cullman County, Alabama, the daughter of Malachi Reeves and Idora Tallulah Gibb Hendon. She died on 2 December 1972 at Birmingham, Alabama and was buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, on 5 December 1972. She was a member of the church of the Nazarene.

William Drayton Caldwell, Jr. was a medical doctor and a Methodist.

E. 4 EDWARD JOSEPH CALDWELL (Son of William Drayton Caldwell D.12)
b. , d.
m. , to: Ola Denny
their children: F.22, F.23.

E. 5 FRANKLIN NICHOLS CALDWELL (Son of William Drayton Caldwell D.12)
b. 20 September 1874, Kymulga, Alabama
d. 14 March 1958 , m. 26 January 1898
to: Mary Etta Harrell, b. 27 Sept 1877, Alpine, Alabama.
their children: F.24, F.25, F.26, F.27, F.28, F.29.

Frank Nichols Caldwell married Mary Etta Harrell at Alpine, Alabama. He died at Anniston, Alabama and is buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, Alabama.

He was a farmer and a Methodist.

Mary Etta Harrell Caldwell died 22 April 1967 at Anniston, Alabama and was buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham, Alabama on 24 April 1967. She was a Baptist, the daughter of William Thomas Harrell and Sara Anne Bonds.

E. 6 A. D. MORRISS (son of Emily Josephine Caldwell D.14)
b. , d. m.
to:
their children:

E. 7 D. T. MORRISS (son of Emily Josephine Caldwell D.14)
b. , d. , m.
to:
their children:

E. 8 LUDIE MORRISS (Dgtr of Emily Josephine Caldwell D.14)
b. , d. m.
to: Molton Lyde (Morton Lide)
their children: Dewey Lide (Lyde), 106 Stadium Ave, Birmingham.

E. 9 FANNIE MORRISS (Dgtr of Emily Josephine Caldwell D.14)
b. , d. , m.
to: _____Snipes
their children: Lucille Snipes, m. (1) Adkisson.

E. 10 EDWIN COLEMAN (Son of Henrietta L. Caldwell D.18)
b. , d. , m.
to:
their children:

E. 11 THEORPHUS COLEMAN Son of Henrietta L. Caldwell D.18)
b. , d.
m. , to:
their children:

E. 12 LEE COLEMAN (Son of Henrietta L. Caldwell D.18)
b. , d. , m.
to:
their children:

E. 13 RUSSELL COLEMAN (Son of Henrietta L. Caldwell D.18)
b. , d. , m.
to:
their children:

E. 14 RALPH COLEMAN (Son of Henrietta L. Caldwell D.18)
b. , d. , m.
to:
their children:

E. 15 FRANK COLEMAN (Son of Henrietta L. Caldwell D.18)
b. , d. , m.
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E. 16 JEFF COLEMAN (Son of Henrietta L. Caldwell D.18)
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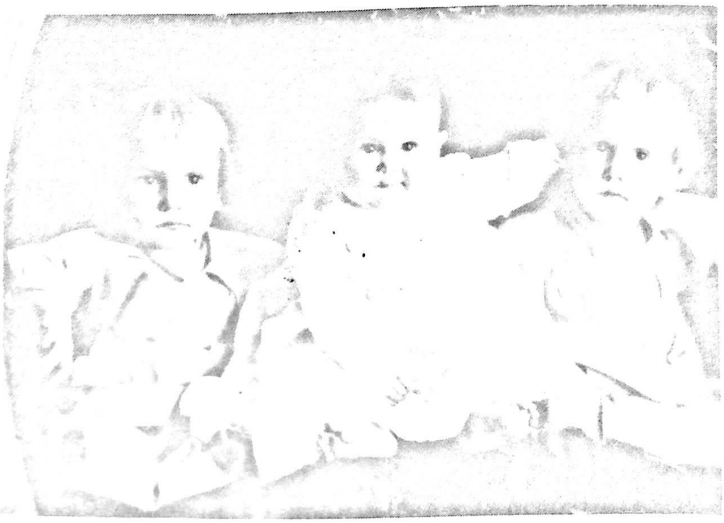


JOHN MAURICE CALDWELL F.51, OZILLA FRANCES CALDWELL F.53, WILLIAM WALLACE CALDWELL F.52. (about 1907).

JOHN HENRY CALDWELL, JR. F.58, WILLIAM WALLACE CALDWELL F.52 and MARGARET ERION CALDWELL. (about 1927). Margaret Erion Caldwell died on 15 October 1927 a week after her son, William Wallace Caldwell, Jr. G.115, was born. She died at Saint Vincent Infirmary in Little Rock, Arkansas and is buried in Roselawn cemetery there. She was eighteen years old at the time of her death. Her husband, William Wallace Caldwell, died on 10 May 1930 in Parkdale, Ashley county, Arkansas.

E. 17 ULA COLEMAN (Dgtr of Henrietta L. Caldwell D.18)
b. , d. , m.
to:
their children:

E. 18 WILLIAM HENRY MABEN (Son of Mary Jane Caldwell D.21)
b. , d. , m.
to:
their children: F.30, F.31.

E. 19 WILLIAM CALDWELL HARBIN (Son of Eugenia Caldwell D.26)
b. 1869 , d. 1904 , m.
to: Lucy Lee
their children: F.32, F.33, F.34.

William Caldwell Harbin was probably born in Mississippi, the son of Henderson Day Harbin and Eugenia Caldwell Harbin. He married Lucy Lee in Mississippi, her birth state.

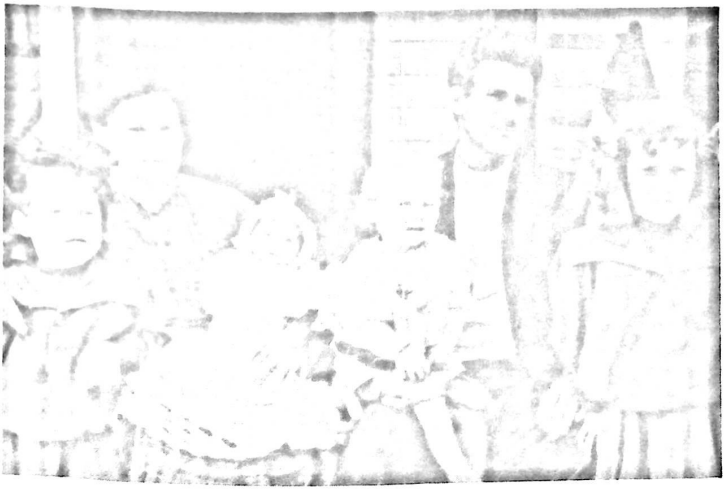
He died near Holly Bluff, Mississippi in 1904.

E. 20 JOHN ELLINGTON HARBIN (Son of Eugenia Caldwell D.26)
b. 1871 , d. 1958 , m.
to: Nora Jane Alley
their children: F.35, F.36, F.37, F.38.

E. 21 ADELIA ELLEN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Lemuel Jos. Caldwell D.28)
b. 16 September 1874, Louisiana
d. 27 January 1931, pd. pb. Parkdale, Arkansas
m. 15 December 1889, to: John Robert Bell
their children: F.39, F.40, F.41, F.42, F.43.

THE JOHN ROBERT BELL FAMILY

From left to right; John Robert Bell, Jr. F.41, Joseph Caldwell (Jack) Bell F.42, Adelia Caldwell Bell E.21, holding Frances Jeannette Bell F.43, Effie Mae Bell F.39, Daisy Donnie Bell F.40 and "unknown".



THE JOHN ROBERT BELL FAMILY

From left to right: Daisy Donnie Bell F.40, Adelia Caldwell Bell E.21, Joseph Caldwell Bell F.42, John Robert Bell, Jr. F.42, John Robert Bell and Effie Mae Bell F.39.

Adelia Ellen Caldwell and John Robert Bell had five children die as infants. Their daughter, Donnie Bell Land, placed small tombstones with their names but no dates on their graves in the Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas. Their names were: Francis or Frances, Homer, Castey, Elmer, and Howard. We do not know the order of their births or their deaths or the years, etc.

John Robert Bell was born on 20 March 1868 in Alabama and died on 2 March 1947. He is buried in the Parkdale Cemetery. He was the son of Reverend E. R. Bell and Ann Eliza Allinder and was a Baptist. Mr. Bell was a farmer, merchant and bulk oil plant operator. He and his brother-in-law, John Henry Caldwell (E.24) were partners in the mercantile business at various times. Existing photographs show that he was a heavy-set man of imposing visage - I remember him vaguely for his deep, resonant voice which seemed to come out of the depths of his soul when he addressed you. I also recall the stories of his tenacity when trying to collect debts owed him in the oil business and how like a Pit Bull dog with a bone he rarely gave up. To a man who was far late in paying him he is said to have stated emphatically, "Hmmmmm, by god, you owe me, hmmmm, by god pay me!" or words equally as dramatic and presumably effective.

Adelia and John Robert had a penchant for moving...living in many places during their lifetimes. I seem to recall that they at one time lived in Monroe, Louisiana and in Drumwright, Oklahoma when he and John Henry Caldwell owned a store there. My grandmother, Sadye Caldwell (Mrs. John Henry Caldwell) often remarked about the many times Aunt Adelia and Uncle John Robert moved, saying every move was like having a "fire".

Early in their married life, around 1904 onward, they lived next door to John Henry and Sadye Caldwell in Parkdale on a large lot on the Pike (the road to Portland and points north). I do not know when they left there nor if Aunt Adelia died there. Sadye Caldwell has told me about the time that Mr. Bell came home after dark one day and found the house dark with no lamps lit. . . alarmed, he called to Aunt Adelia and upon entering discovered her sitting in the darkened house, her eyes swollen completely shut as a result of multiple wasp stings. It is a miracle that she did not die . . . being obviously so allergic to the venom.

Existing pictures of Aunt Adelia show her as a buxom woman, pretty with a pleasant, peaceful expression on her face. She and Aunt Ida Caldwell (E.22) were both large women.

It is equally amazing that Adelia lived to the age of fifty-seven after the relatively hard life she lived. . .bearing ten children and seeing five of them die as infants. . .without the many conveniences housewives of today take for granted

Aunt Adelia probably inherited some her father's thriftiness and we know that Uncle John Robert was careful with a dime, a trait which was passed on to, I know, their children, Donnie and "Jack".

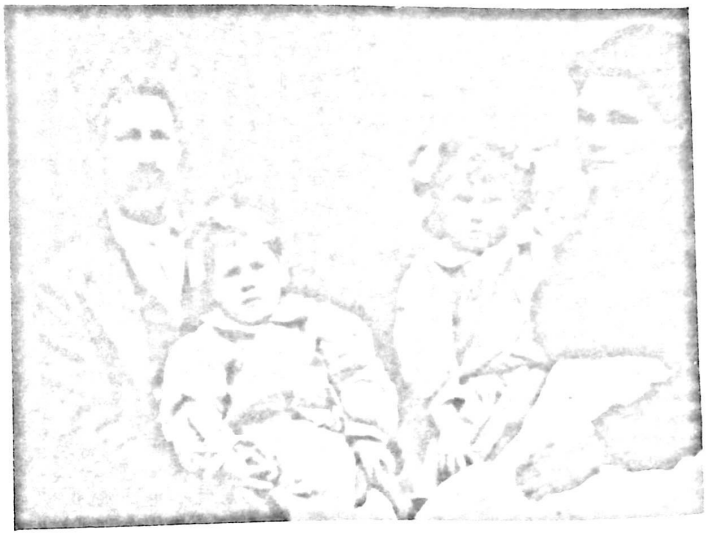
My grandfather, John Henry Caldwell, has told me how he and Mr. Bell sold apple cider (Hard) in their store in the early days and how he had convinced John Robert that they should discontinue the product when it was discovered that Mr. Bell had a fondness for the beverage which was "eating up their profit". Mr. Bell agreed without any reservations or argument.

BLANKSES AND CALDWELLS

Left to right: Frances Caldwell F.53, John Paul Caldwell F.54, John Maurice Caldwell F.51, Elizabeth Blanks F.48, William Wallace Caldwell F.52 and Evelyn Blanks F.47.(about 1912).

FRANCES J. CALDWELL'S LAST HOME

Mrs. Frances Jeanette Caldwell (wife of Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28) is seen on the porch of her bungalow in Parkdale on main street (Highway #8). The house was built after she sold the Williams mansion back to Dr. R. G. Williams. She lived here until her death in 1944.



JOHN ROBERT BELL, ADELIA CALDWELL BELL E.21, and children DAISY DONNIE BELL F.40 and EFFIE MAE BELL F.39.

LEMUEL JOSEPH CALDWELL, JR. E.27. (about 1918) This was probably taken on the porch of the Williams house in Parkdale, Arkansas.

E. 22 IDA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28)
b. 10 May 1877, Louisiana, d. 10 July 1929, Parkdale, AR
pb. Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas
m. 7 November 1897, to: Columbus Calvin Wolfe.
their children: F.44, F.45, F.46.

E. 23 FLORENCE MAY CALDWELL (Dgtr of Lemuel Joseph
b. 2 February 1880, Parkdale, AR Caldwell D.28)
d. 19 November 1958, Dermott, Arkansas
pb. Dermott, Chicot County, Arkansas
m. 4 September 1904, to: Andrew Cornelius Blanks.
their children: F.47, F.48, F.49, F.50.

Florence May Caldwell was the first child of her parents born on the Caldwell plantation two miles east of Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas. She attended Beauvoir Academy at Wilmar, Arkansas and Henderson-Brown College at Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

Her husband, Andrew Cornelius Blanks was born in Mississippi. They lived in Parkdale for a time after their marriage before moving to Dermott, Chicot County, Arkansas where he was in the mercantile business. In Parkdale, they built a home next door to her brother, John Henry and his wife, Sadye Caldwell. The floor plan of the houses were identical and were built by the same contractor. The house was bought by the Files family when the Blankses moved to Dermott.

After the death of her husband, and when her children were grown, she returned to Parkdale to live with and look after her mother, Frances J. French Caldwell. After her mother's death in 1944 she moved back to Dermott where she lived until her death with her daughter, Mary Evelyn Blanks Waltman.

E. 24 JOHN HENRY CALDWELL (Son of Lemuel Joseph Caldwell
b. 11 April 1882, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas. D.28)
d. 18 November 1965, Lake Village, Chicot County, Arkansas.
pb. Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas.
m. 10 January 1904, Little Rock, Arkansas.
to: Sadye (Sarah) Paul.
their children: F.51, F.52, F.53, F.54, F.55, F.56, F.57, F.58.

John Henry Caldwell was born his father's farm two miles east of the town of Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.

He grew up on the farm working in the fields alongside his brothers and sisters and for the remainder of his life valued the "work ethic" as a way to get ahead in life.

He attended Beauvoir Academy at Wilmar, Drew County, Arkansas in the late 1890's and Draughon's Business School in Little Rock. It was while attending Beauvoir that he met his future wife of sixty-four years, Sadye (Sarah) Paul, the daughter of John Isaac and Ozilla Basye Paul, of Little Rock. He courted her avidly for several years and on many occasions she rebuffed his proposals of marriage. Many times she told the author how in January 1904 he came to Little Rock and again

FLORENCE CALDWELL BLANKS E.23

ANDREW CORNELIUS BLANKS AND
FLORENCE CALDWELL BLANKS E.23.

asked her to marry him, vowing that this would be his final request and if she refused him she would never see him again. Laughing, she recalled that she believed he meant it...so she accepted. In those days the only practical mode of transportation from Little Rock to Parkdale was by train...she said that when she got off she was struck by the smallness of Parkdale and its shortcomings compared to Little Rock and would have gotten on the next train to Little Rock if one had come through right then.

John Henry and Sadye roomed and boarded with a family in Parkdale while their house was being built. The house was completed before the end of 1904.

He worked in a mercantile business operated by Jackson and Gregory for several years and finally opened his own general merchandise store around 1908 in a brick building built by his father, Lemuel Joseph Caldwell. At some time during this era he was in partnership with his brother-in-law, John Robert Bell. In the twenties they opened a second store in Drumwright, Oklahoma and I think Mr. Bell and Lemuel Joseph Caldwell, Jr. ran it until it was bought by L. J., Jr.

John Caldwell often remarked that he would trade or sell anything he owned except his wife and his home. He lived up to this saying and was quite a trader, dealing in livestock, general merchandise, land, timber and anything else that was saleable. As a young boy, I recall the chicken pen beside the store where we kept chickens bought from local farmers for sale to town folks or shipment on the train to dealers in New Orleans. Caldwell Company also dealt in furs, raccoons, mink and possum bought from trappers in the area. Maurice Caldwell, his son, and John Oliver Holliday were the primary fur buyers who had learned the difficult art of grading the pelts and dickering with the traveling buyers from outside the area.

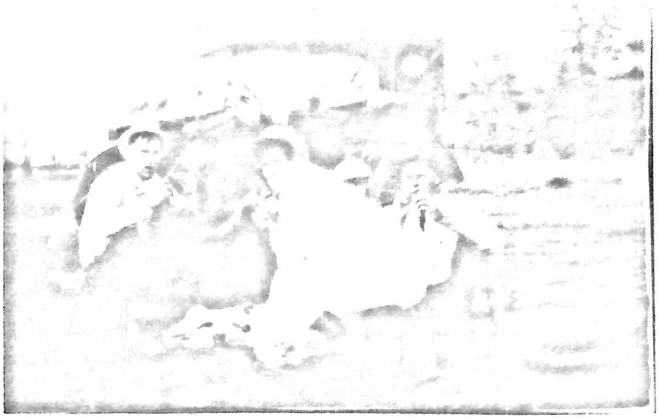
The general store lived up to the name, literally, selling every imaginable item of use to local farmers, clothing, shoes, hardware, horse and mule collars, cultivators, plow points, Georgia Stocks, hoes, wagons, all manner of patent medicines...nostrums for every ill known to afflict mankind or beast, coffins, rough hewn oak lumber for repairing the tenant houses and barns on the farms.

For many years he took trips into Oklahoma and Texas with E. A. Doles of Bonita, Lousiana, on mule buying excursions, bringing back hundreds of young mules for use on his farm and sale to others.

Often, he bought rail car loads of corn and wheat from the corn and wheat belt for sale and his own use and huge loads of cedar posts from Texas for the fencing of his fields and for sale.

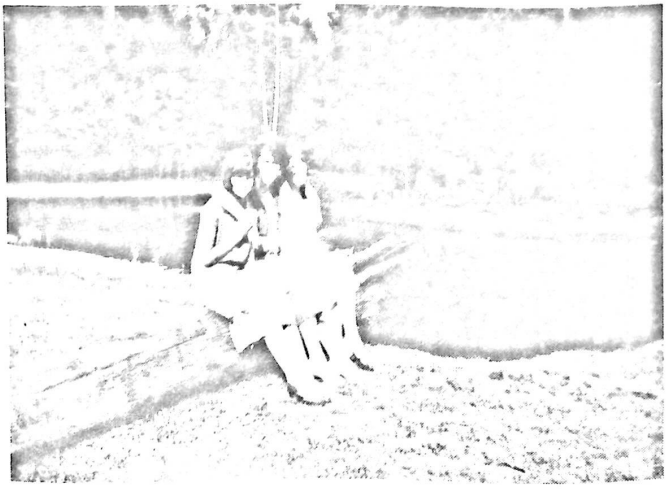
Prior to the Great Depression he engaged in the timber business and owned sawmills cutting the oak timber into rough lumber.

During the twenties he bought a 3,000 acre farm, the Dean Place, located across bayou Bartholomew between Parkdale and the hills, financing the purchase with a loan from the General American Insurance Company of Saint Louis, Missouri. When the depression hit in the early thirties and the price of cotton fell to five cents a pound he was not able to make his payments on the mortgage and lost the entire 3,000 acres. So severe was the economic situation that he was unable to buy merchandise on credit from any wholesale grocer or drygoods house... except Silbernagel Wholesale Grocers of Pine Bluff and Dermott, AR.



PICNICING

Seen picnicing beside their 19___ convertible roadster are: Edward Andrew Caldwell E.26, Frances J. Caldwell (Mrs. Lemuel Joseph D.28), Daisy Caldwell E.29 and Lemuel Joseph Caldwell, Jr. E.27.



AT THE OLD FERRY

Relaxing on a log on Bayou Bartholomew are Margaret E. Caldwell wife of Wallace Caldwell F.52, Frances Caldwell F.53 and Ruth Higdon. The Old Ferry was a favorite swimming hole. (1926).

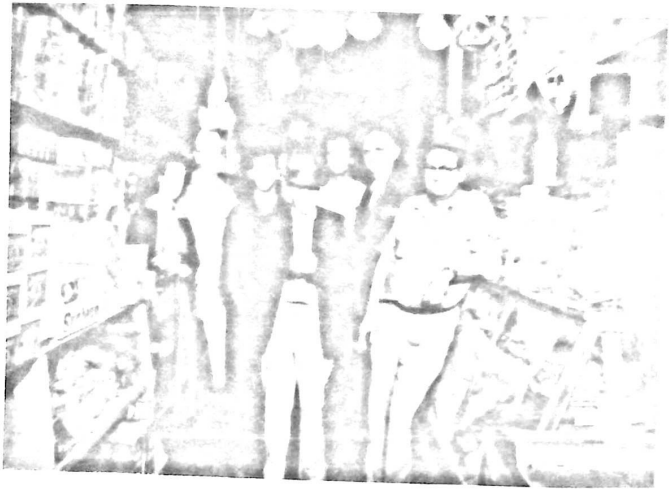
He recounted many times how Mr. Dan Silbernagel the owner extended him credit when no one else would. It was not until the good times returned with World War II that he was able to completely pay off his debt to Silbernagel. When I started doing some of the purchasing for the store, he told me, "Son, buy everything you can from Silbernagel, they kept me in business during the depression, even if you have to pay them a little more!" The store's ledgers revealed in later years that many, if not most, of his debtors never did pay their accounts. Some did, years later, come in and offer to pay what they owed and we would have to dig the old ledgers out, dust them off and find out how much their accounts were.

He was Mayor of the town of Parkdale for many years and seldom, if ever, had any opposition. In those days the mayor of small towns in Arkansas held court and I often sat in on the court sessions held in the office of the store while he adjudicated some minor infraction, drunkeness, fighting, etc. So even handed was his administration of justice that he usually convinced the miscreant that the judgment was just and merited, sometimes lending the defendant the money to pay his fine. If the person was decidedly intoxicated he was dispatched to the "calaboose" a primitive frame building with barred door and windows to sleep it off. In his early days as mayor he strictly enforced state laws forbidding gambling but told me that after attending a political rally and barbecue at Lake Village in honor of the Governor of Arkansas where he witnessed the Governor and others openly shooting dice and drinking, he vowed never to fine a poor white man or negro for gambling as long as they did not disturb the peace.

His home was always open to visitors and guests at the family dining table. Mrs. Caldwell said she never knew who would show up for a meal since he invited traveling salesmen home frequently. Many times one of the bedrooms of his house would be occuppied by a young man or woman from the country who had been employed as a clerk at the store.

He always maintained that the mercantile business was his first love though he farmed all his life. Most of the time he employed a farm manager to attend to the everyday routine of farming and at times had over forty sharecropper families on his land. When, as a youth, I went to work at the store, he impressed upon me the importance of being honest with the sharecroppers whom he "furnished", telling me of his experience as a young man working for a merchant in Parkdale, who on his first day instructed him to put four and a half pounds of beans in a bag marked five. He told the man, "You hired me to work for you, not to steal!" The owner just ducked his head and walked on. He was taken advantage of by many people who abused his generosity but maintained that it was his duty to help those who needed it...that it was through the Grace of God that he had the wherewithal to do so. He was paternalistic with his families but quick to take them to the doctor and to be sure that they were supplied with the necessities of life. He might strike a luxury item from their grocery list when their debt had gotten too high but he would never deny them their snuff or tobacco.

Another incident during the Depression comes to mind; when he was at the lowest ebb of his financial crisis he noticed that an alarming number of stores were burning under mysterious circumstances and it did not take a seer to realize that they were being destroyed by their owners for the insurance. After many sleepless nights worrying about



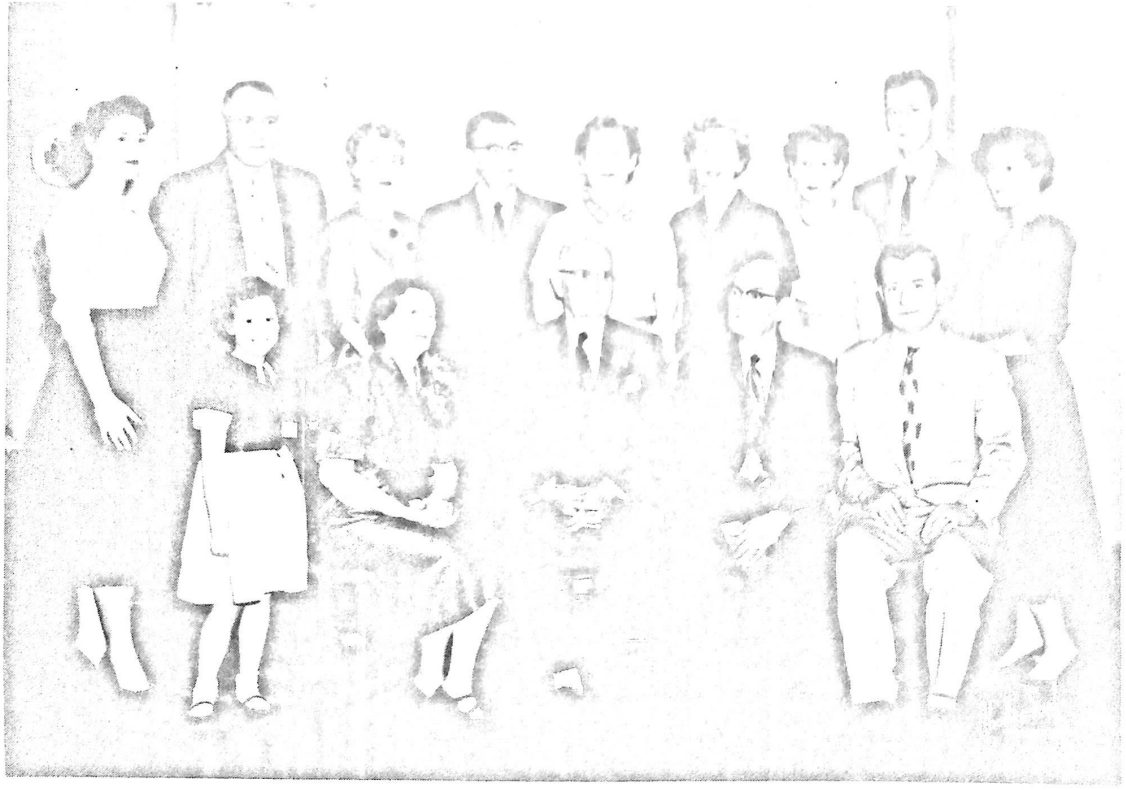
CALDWELL MERCANTILE COMPANY

This photograph was taken in the early 1950's in the Caldwell Mercantile Company at Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas. It was prior to the changeover from the old fashioned store to a more modern "self-service" operation of the late 1950's. At this time customers either asked for merchandise or presented the clerk with a list which he or she filled.

Shown above are: Miss Ora Matheny, daughter of Bishop Matheny, Robert R. McCracken, the butcher and longtime employee and friend of the Caldwell family, Bobby Oliver Caldwell F.64, Thomas Sammons, a longtime employee, William Wallace Caldwell G.115, John Henry Caldwell, Sr. E.24 and John Maurice Caldwell F.51.

The store was opened by John Henry Caldwell E.24 and his brother-in-Law John Robert Bell the husband of Adelia Ellen Caldwell E.21 in the early 1900's (prior to 1910). John Caldwell bought out his brother-in law and operated the business until his retirement in the mid 1950's. At that time he sold it to his sons, John Maurice Caldwell F.51, John Paul Caldwell F.54, John Henry Caldwell, Jr. F.58 and his grandson William Wallace Caldwell G.115. This partnership was dissolved in 1959 and the business was sold to John Maurice Caldwell who operated it until his death in 1973. His widow sold the building soon after and it now contains an auto parts store.

The Caldwell Company, as it was known, was a landmark in the area for many years and a gathering place for country people when they made their trips to town for supplies. John Caldwell "furnished" (sold supplies on credit against the farmers cotton crop) hundreds of families each year; supplying them with food, clothing, plow points, wagons, cultivators, horse collars, single trees, hames, saddles, bridles, coal oil (kerosene), seed, fertilizer, insecticides, coffins, and a multitude of other supplies.



50th ANNIVERSARY - 10 January 1954: Front row, left to right: Dorothy Jane Caldwell G.113, Sadye Paul Caldwell, John Henry Caldwell E.24, John Maurice Caldwell F.51, John Henry Caldwell, Jr. F.58, 2nd row: Paula Files G.120, William T. Files, Carolyn Matlock Caldwell, John Paul Caldwell F.54, Johnnie Caldwell Files F.57, Willie Caldwell, Mary Sawyer Caldwell, William W. Caldwell G.115 and Susanne Files G.121. Taken at Parkdale, Arkansas.

the temptations bedeviling him; the temptation to burn his business for the insurance money, he resolved to remove forever the prospect of any gain from arson. . . he canceled his coverage the next morning.

His fairness and wisdom were known far and wide throughout the area and rarely passed the day that he did not counsel someone who came to him with a problem; personal, marital, financial. This is not to say that he never made a mistake but that he tried to do the right thing by everyone who had dealing with him. He had enemies as do all men, but they were few and far between. A neighbor, who was extremely contentious and hard to get along with subjected him to a particularly vitreolic attack one day and when she had finished venting her spleen, he put his arm around her shoulders and smiling, said, "But, _____, you know you love me." His calmness in face of verbal abuse and humor completely defused the situation and his antagonist was soon laughing with him.

He became of a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church South at Miller's Chapel Methodist Church in the community of Dry Bayou (a few miles east of Wilmot, Arkansas) at an early age and remained faithful to his church the remainder of his life. He was a 32nd degree Mason, a member of Concord Lodge #23 at Eudora, Arkansas and of the Consistory in Little Rock. In 1954 on his fiftieth wedding anniversary he was presented with his 50 year Masonic Pin by his son-in-law, Paul Champ Tyrone. At his death he had been a Mason for 61 years.

Segregation was to him a way of life but he would not tolerate anyone who mistreated blacks, physically or financially. Many black families stayed on his farm for practically their entire adult lives. I fondly remember, Uncle Jeff and Aunt Ella Akins, Lonnie Bradley, Uncle John Veasey, Dave and Lula Bell Coleman, Albert Sylvester, the Dooleys, Cam Carver, who was like a member of the family, living in a servant house in our yard for many, many years. When Cam became old and terminally ill, he hired a black woman to nurse him until his death. There was also Lish Hundley who lived alone on the far side of the farm near thick woods and who was a crack shot, bringing down many squirrels and rabbits which she shared with us...we furnished the ammunition. Lish was a hard worker, making a crop by herself, having run her "worthless" husband off. The black families of that day were certainly more stable than they are today with more pride and higher moral character. The breakup of the black family can, I feel, be directly attributed to the welfare system which discourages strong family ties with both a mother and father in the home.

The Puritan work ethic was firmly implanted in his philosophy of life. If he came into the store and found any of us sitting down when business was slow, he quickly and firmly admonished us with the statement, "There is always something that needs to be done, dust the shelves, sweep the floor, rearrange and tidy up the stock!" We could always tell what sort of humor he was in by the way he held his pipe in his mouth; if it fell gently upon his chin, he was calm and mellow, if it tilted upward at a sharp angle, "look out", he was on the war path!

I could go on forever, it seems, recounting the many anecdotes which made his life so full and which touched the lives of me and all those who knew him but will conclude by saying that he strived mightily to "do right by his fellowman" as he saw it. He is buried in the Caldwell family plot in Parkdale Cemetery amid the graves of his

SADYE CALDWELL AND CHILDREN

Mrs. John Henry Caldwell E.24 is seen holding Effie Mae Caldwell F.56. Standing, from left to right are Ozilla Frances F.53, Wallace F.52, Maurice F.51 and in front, John Paul "Pete" Caldwell F.54.

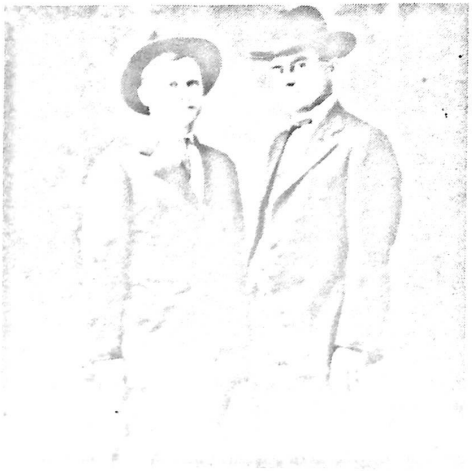
Effie Mae was born on 08 March 1914 and died on 27 October 1914 so this was taken sometime between March and October in 1914.

parents, several brothers and sisters and many of his children.

Most of the store ledgers and account books have been lost, but the author was able to salvage several when the old sheet metal warehouse was torn down in 1973. They provide interesting insight into the names of his customers and prices of various merchandise they bought.

J. H. CALDWELL - LEDGER - MARCH - SEPTEMBER 1931

3/10/31	Caldwell Farm, 6 bridles $5.40, axel grease $1.90 6 B(ack) Bands $2.10	$9.40
	Dean Place, 19# nails (Walter Coulter)	.80
	H. S. Hill, 1 -140 Point (plow)	1.50
	B. F. Holliday, 1 sx Chops 1.75, 1 oats 2.35,	4.10
	John Maxwell, 1 c Tob .15	.15
	R. L. Maxwell, 5 gal Oil .75	.75
	Bishop Matheny, Lard 2.00, Beans .50, Peaches .50, Meat 1.30, Soap .50, Pot. .90 2 pr Lines .80	6.50
3/11/31	T. L. Nichols, 1 sx Oat seed 3.50, 1 sx Sugar 5.25,	8.75
	Thos. Sammons, Sal(?) .12, Bread .07	.19
	Lonnie Bradley, 10# Nails .60 (Roy Maxwell)	.60
3/12/31	J. J. Brown, flour 1.30, Lard 2.10, coffee .75, BP .25, Snuff .50, Soap .25, Thread .10, Cardui 1.00, less 2.50	3.75
	Mrs. L. J. Caldwell, Shoes 3.00, Butter .40, Mag. .25, Coffee 1.00	4.65
	Ivy Godfrey, 2 Brick (salt) 1.25, Point .50 Flour 1.30, Lard 2.20, Meal .60, Sugar 1.00, Snuff .35, Meat 1.25, Soap .25, Oil .15, rice .50, Mol. .90, Soda .10, Beans 1.00, Traces 1.00.	10.60
	J. H. Nobles, 1 Point	.65
	R. G. Williams, 2 s(ingle) trees	.80
	J. K. Barnes, 1 Clevis	.35
3/13/31	Lish Hundley, 10 bu corn 10.00, 1/2 bu seed corn 1.20, oats 4.70, Feed 4.00, Bran 1.25, Bolts .30, 2 B (?) heads & bolts .80, Lines .40, Ep salts .25, Flour 1.50, Meal .60, Lard 1.65, Soap .25, Snuff .70, Mol (Molasses) 1.35, BP .25, Soda .25, sox .15, cigars .25, Bridle 1.50, Plow Pt. 1.75, Med .35, shells 1.00, Beans 1.00	35.85
4/4/1931	R. G. Williams Store, 12 P & G Soap	.45
	John Woods, 1 shirt	1.00
4/6/1931	E. D. Gregory, 3 pr Shoes Luke Johnson	8.50
	I. N. Brownlow, 9 yds cloth 1.35, cloth 5.25, thread .20, hose .25, sox .25...	8.00
	Caldwell Place, 1 Doz Salt Brick	2.40



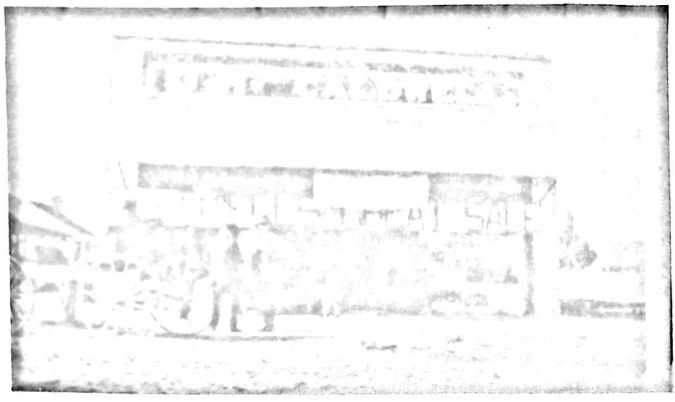
LEMUEL JOSEPH CALDWELL E.27
and JOHN HENRY CALDWELL E.24.

EDWARD ANDREW CALDWELL E.26

4/9/31	Mattie Edelin	Tooth Brush .25, Scissors .25	.50
	Maxwell Car	5 gal gas	.90
	Dean Farm	38 ft Pipe 5.70, 1 Pump Point 2.50	
		1 Point 2.50	10.70
	Walter Akins	Tob & papers	.20
4/10/31	Louis Jasay	Tom .20, Peas .85, Lard .55	
		Polish .15 (Louie & Velma)	1.75
	C. C. Morschheimer	Staples .10, seed .10	.20
	D. H. Vails	170# Cotton Seed	3.40
4/13/31	Mrs. E. L. Thornton	Candy, Virginia	.05
	Mrs. J. M. Files	Shells .50	.50
4/14/31	J. S. O'Neal	10# Staples .50, 10# Nails .50	1.00
		1 Ton 6-12-6 (Fertilizer)	46.50
4/20/31	E. L. Thornton	1 pr overalls	1.00
4/21/31	Rabbit Parker	shirt & pants	2.00
	Joe Woods	1/2 gal Mol (molasses)	.45
4/23/31	Sam Grice	1 Pr Lines .40, B Band .50	.90
4/25/31	C. C. Barton	Meal (Cephas)	.50
	J. R. Bell	Feed	20.00
	Eber Dennis	Mosq Bar 2.00 Quinine .25	2.25
4/28/31	A. J. Spurlock	2 Dresses	1.96
	Maxwell Car	Tire 5.50, gas .90 oil .25	6.65
	R. B. Radford	9 ft Pipe	1.35
5/12/31	Mrs. J.M. Files	Ga. Stock 2.25 Hoe Handle .30	2.55
	Fate Wilson	1 Hoe 1.00 file .25 Pnuts .75	2.00
5/13/31	W. B. Brown	1 Cross Cut Saw	10.50
	M. C. Hawkins	Hat (wf)	1.50
5/30/31	L. A. Finch	95# Chix Feed	2.85
	Mrs. J.M. Files	Collar (horse) 1.35	1.35
	Mark Rush	Groceries	10.90
6/13/31	J. E. Foster	2000 Pot Slips	5.00
	H. S. Hill	1 Pr T(ennis) Shoes Jessie Morris	1.10
	DElbert Murphy	Cap	.35
	Silbernagel Co.	5 cs. 6-8# Lard	26.10
	Bob Wilson	4 WK shirts	2.50
6/19/31	Mrs. E. L. Thornton	4 Pc 2 x 4 x 12 - 32 ft	.80
7/24/31	Mark Rush	Shoes Pay Sat(urday) wf	3.50
	Helen Arrington	Gro(ceries) Ella	1.85
		2 Dresses Queenie	1.96
7/27/31	Edgar Shoemaker	1 Churn 1.00 axe handle .40	1.40
	George Maxwell	Tobc,Med(icine)	.20
	Andrew McDuffie	Soap .25 Tobc .30 Coffee .25	.80
8/3/31	Joe Mitchell	Chill Tonic 1.20 BP .25	
		E Salts .10 Gas .17	1.72
	Jeff Mormon	Flour .75 Lard 1.25	2.00
	Guy Mormon	Flour .75 Lard .65	1.40
	N. L. Morris	Lard 1.25	1.25
	T. A. Reddin	Salt .40 Lard 1.25	1.65
8/19/31	Caldwell & Compere	Nails .60 (Ivy Godfrey)	.60

J. H. CALDWELL MERCANTILE COMPANY

This photograph was taken in the 1920's in front of the general mercantile store owned by John Henry Caldwell E.24. He is seen on the left. Beside him is his mother, Mrs. Lemuel Joseph Caldwell, his sister, Effie Caldwell E.25, Aunt Ella Akins and an unidentified woman.



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A gathering place for local residents and farmers, the John Henry Caldwell E.24 Mercantile Company is shown during one of the regular sales he promoted. Although he farmed all of his life, this store was by far the "apple of his eye" and received most of his attention. This picture was made during the 1920's. Note the still favorite mode of transportation, the horse and buggy.

CALDWELL & BELL LEDGER 1904-1905

I found this old ledger in the Caldwell warehouse as it was being demolished in 1973 and thought to list some of the interesting entries. Actually, it is a Cash Book which lists money paid out and taken in from various transactions.

8/5/1904	Freight	3.50
8/20/04	Jno Caldwell for calf	1.00
9/1.04	SALES	24.30
9/7/04	L. J. Caldwell cash Ef(fie)	.25
9/18/04	Blanks & Barnes	20.00
9/13/04	Monticello Bank	20.15
9/22/04	Monticello Bank deposit	247.94
9/27/04	L. J. Caldwell Ed	5.00
10/11/04	J. R. Bell	4.90
10/15/04	Judge Myres on a/c	10.00
	Bills paid note MB (Monticello Bank ?)	1000.00
	L. J. Caldwell Ed laundry	.85
10/18/04	Jonas Newton	4.50
11/1/04	J. H. Caldwell C. C. Wolfe	22.00
	Fur Account	1.70
	Cotton Account 3 b/c 550-560-525	155.32
	Blanks & Barnes	59.90
11/9/04	Coon Sammons	.50
11/24/04	J. R. Bell	335.50
12/1/04	Mdse Coon	2.50
12/12/04	J. H. Caldwell 8# feathers	4.00
	Sales	39.15
12/22/04	Lem Caldwell	1.00
	Cotton Account 530# A. Taylor	37.10
1/2/05	J. R. Bell cash when moved	3.00
1/7/05	J. R. Bell wood	2.15
1/19/05	Hammett Grocery Company	300.00
1/28/05	J. H. Caldwell Buggy	15.00
	J. R. Bell Dr. Holliday	2.50
2/1/05	Cotton 3 b/c	87.65
2/4/05	Miss Elle Williams	3.20
	R. G. Williams	38.39
2/13/05	J. R. Bell Dr. Hawkins	2.50
2/25/05	J.R. Bell Barber Bill	.50
	J. H. Caldwell Barber Bill	.15
4/25/05	J. H. Caldwell taxes	1.95
	J. R. Bell taxes	3.85
7/10/05	J. R. Bell Preacher	1.00
9/29/05	L. J. Caldwell	743.45
10/3/05	Swift & Co.	53.11
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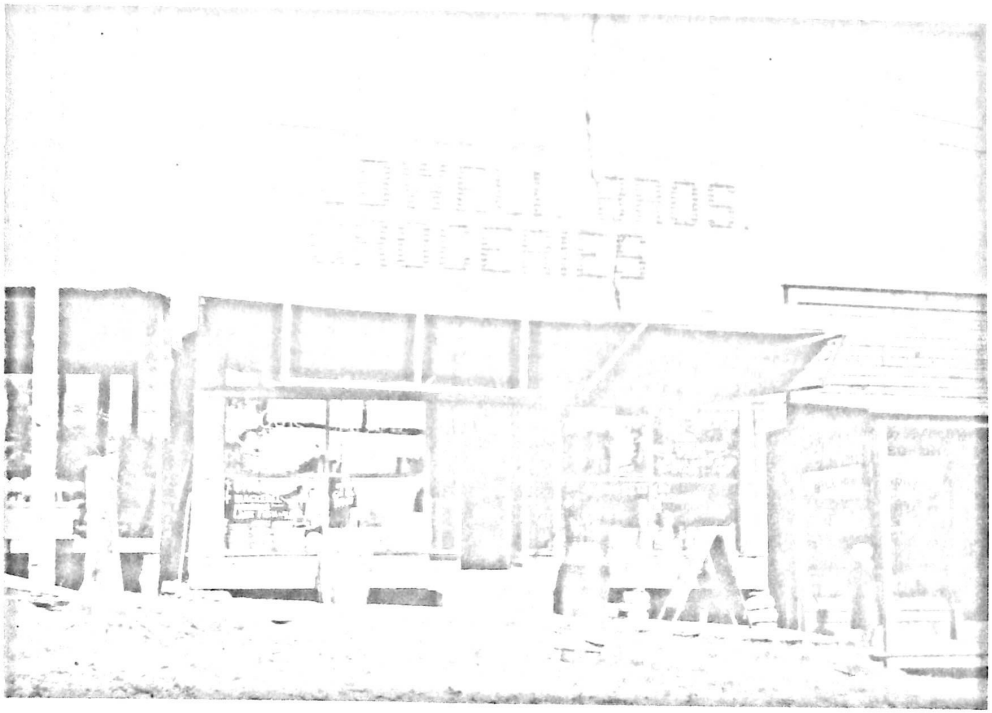

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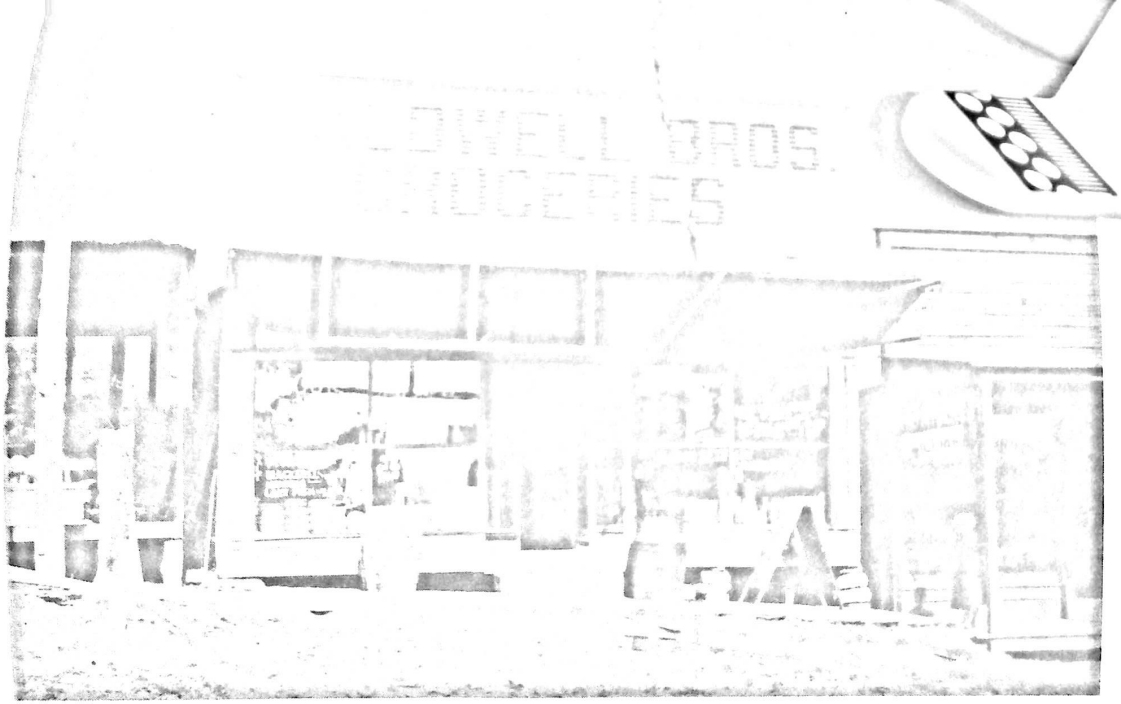

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d. 29 July 1920, Monroe, Louisiana (hospital)
pb. Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas.
m. Never married.

E. 26 EDWARD ANDREW CALDWELL (Son of Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28)
b. 18 March 1888, Parkdale, Arkansas
d. 7 November 1960, pb. Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas.
m. (1). 18 June 1911, Kate Williams
their children: F.59, F.60, F.61, F.62, F.63.
m. (2). 1922, Berdie Raybon.
their children: F.64, F.65.

He was born on his father's farm 2 miles east of Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas and it was here that he learned his avocation, that of farming. He was a succesful and respected farmer, operating the farm he purchased west of Parkdale on Arkansas Highway #8. His home faced Bayou Bartholomew just across the highway.

As a young man he attended Beauvoir Academy at Wilmar, Drew County, Arkansas and Draughons School of Business in Little Rock.

His first wife, Kate Williams, died while their children were quite young. Shortly thereafter, he married Berdie Raybon who remained his faithful helpmate for the remainder of his life. She died in Little Rock, Arkansas on 03 February 1987 after a twelve year battle against cancer. She was admired for her strength of character by all.

E. 27 LEMUEL JOSEPH CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28)
b. 30 May 1892, Parkdale, Arkansas
d. 30 May 1952, Drumwright, Creek County, Oklahoma
pb. Drumwright South Cemetery, Drumwright, Oklahoma
m. (1). Vertna Lawrence, 1 January 1911, Parkdale, Arkansas.
she died: 29 July 1917, Parkdale, Arkansas.
(2). Mary Elizabeth Massey Haworth, 27 January 1921.
Stillwater, Payne County, Oklahoma. She died 15 Dec. 1972.
She is buried in Drumwright South Cemetery.
their children: (1). F.66, F.67. (2). F.68, F.69.

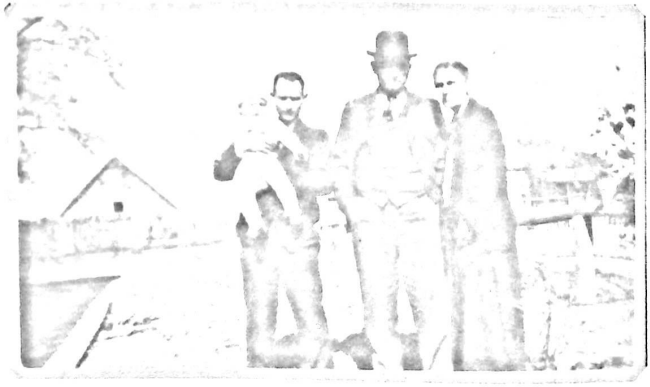
As were his brothers and sisters, Lem Caldwell was born and reared on the Caldwell farm east of Parkdale. I do not know about his early education. He served in the United States Army during World War I.

In 1917 his first wife, Vertna Lawrence Caldwell, was killed in an automobile-train accident at Parkdale along with his brother Oliver Lewis Caldwell.

Soon afterward he went to Drumwright, Oklahoma to work in a store owned by his older brother, John Henry and his brother-in-law, John Robert Bell. A few years later, in 1921, he met and married Mary (Mae) Elizabeth Massey Haworth. Eventually, he bought the store in Drumwright from his brother and brother-in-law and operated it in conjunction

THE LEMUEL J. CALDWELL HOMESTEAD

Daisy Caldwell E.29 the daughter of Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28 is seen in the front yard of the family home on the Caldwell Farm east of Parkdale, Ashley county, Arkansas in the early twenties. This was the second home built by him on his farm and it burned in the late thirties or early forties. The house had a "dogtrot" down the middle which gave it God's airconditioning during the hot and humid days of summer.



FOUR GENERATIONS

William Wallace Caldwell F.52 is seen holding his son William W. Caldwell, Jr. G.115. In the center is John Henry Caldwell, Sr. E.24 and to his left is his mother Frances Jeanette Caldwell (Mrs. Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28).

with a frozen food locker plant. His first wife was born in Ashley County, Arkansas on 27 May 1893 and is buried in the Caldwell plot in the Parkdale cemetery. His second wife, Mae, was born in Jennings, Oklahoma Territory on 13 March 1891.

E. 28 OLIVER LEWIS CALDWELL (son of Lemuel J. Caldwell D.28)
b. 30 November 1893, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d. 29 July 1917, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
m. never married.

E. 29 DAISY CALDWELL (dgtr of Lemuel Joseph Caldwell D.28)
b. 25 July 1897, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d. 18 January 1921, Drumwright, Creek, OK.
m. To: A. G. Caviness.

She was born on the Caldwell farm east of Parkdale, AR. In July 1917 she was seriously injured in a car-train accident at Parkdale and was carried some distance on the "cow-catcher" of the engine. She died in childbirth in Oklahoma.

E. 30 NANCY J. CALDWELL (dgtr of William A. Caldwell D.39)
b. ca 1850, Coweta County, GA.
d.
m. 16 February 1867 To: G. W. Edwards.

E. 31 JOHN M. CALDWELL (son of William A. Caldwell D.39)
b. ca 1851, Coweta County, GA.
d. , Iredell, TX.
m. 16 April 1872 To: Rebecca Clanton.

E. 32 MOSURIA CALDWELL (son of William A. Caldwell D.39)
b. ca 1853, Coweta County, GA.
d. probably before 1900
m. To:

E. 33 PATRICK HENRY COLWELL (son of William A. Caldwell D.39)
b. 02 March 1855, Coweta County, GA.
d. 07 November 1926, Sylvester, TX.
m. 23 December 1875, Fulton, MS.
To: Mary Elizabeth Warren.
Their Children: FF.70, FF.71, FF.72, FF.73, FF.74, FF.75 FF.76, FF.77, FF.78, FF.79 (appendix).
See appendix for his biography.

E. 34 SARAH CALDWELL (dgtr of William A. Caldwell D.39)
b. 18 March 1857, Georgia.
d. 10 July 1914, Mount Pleasant, TX.
m. 15 November 1883, Itawamba County, MS.
To: Sumpter Guess.
Their Children: FF.80, FF.81, FF.82, FF.83, FF.84.

AT HOT SPRINGS, ARKANSAS

Left to right: Adelia Ellen Caldwell Bell E.21, several of her children and Frances Jeanette Caldwell D.28.

EFFIE MAE CALDWELL E.25 and
FRANCES JEANNETTE CALDWELL D.28.

E. 35 CHARLES W. CALDWELL (Son of William A. Caldwell D.39)
b. November 1858, Georgia.
d. 1932, Amory, Monroe County, Mississippi.
m. To: Mary J. _____
Their Children: FF.85, FF.86, FF.87, FF.88, FF.89, FF.90, FF.91, FF.92.

E. 36 DAWSEY CALDWELL (Ch of William A. Caldwell D.39)
b. ca 1861, Mississippi.
d. young.

This information is from a family group sheet supplied by Kay Taylor, 210 Avenue M, Abernathy, Texas. She states that John and Rebecca did not have children and came to Texas after 1900. According to the 1900 census of Itawamba County, Mississippi, Mary A. Caldwell had only four children living, my theory (Mrs. Taylor) is that Dawsey, Mosuria and Nancy died prior to 1900..."My grandmother, Bea, believed Dawsey died young."

E. 37 WILLIAM RAWLEY CALDWELL (Son of Josiah B. Caldwell D.40)
b. 17 April 1857, Polk County, Georgia.
d. 21 September 1928, Athens, Henderson County, Texas.
Bur: Shelby Chapel Cemetery.
m. November 1893, To: Texanna Hall.
Their Children: F.70, F.71, F.72, F.73, F.74, F.75.

He was a prominent farmer in Henderson County, Texas and was a member of the Methodist Church. His wife was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hall pioneer residents of the county, residing in the Sand Flat community.

E. 38 MARY IVANONNA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Josiah B. Caldwell D.40)
b. 13 December 1859, Polk County, Georgia.
d. 4 July 1896, Polk County, Georgia.
Bur: Blooming Grove Cemetery, Polk County, Georgia.
m. 2 January 1895, Polk County, Georgia.
To: James S. Cox.
Their Children: Burns Caldwell Cox.

E. 39 LULA BURNS CALDWELL (Dgtr of Josiah Burns Caldwell D.40)
b. 19 February 1864, Polk County, Georgia.
d. 9 October 1932, Merit, Texas.
m. 20 June 1920, Merit , Texas.
To: Henry Newton Cox.
Their Children: none. She raised Burns Caldwell Cox.

E. 40 THOMAS LAWSON CALDWELL (Son of Josiah B. Caldwell D.40)
b. 16 January 1867, Polk County, Georgia.
d. 9 June 1893, Polk County, Georgia.
Bur: Blooming Grove Cemetery, Polk County, Georgia.

E. 41 Robert Allan Caldwell (Son of Josiah B. Caldwell D.40)
b. 6 October 1876, Polk County, Georgia.
d. 29 October 1906, Polk County, Georgia.

DEATH CLAIMS VETERAN CITIZEN

W. R. (Uncle Billie) Caldwell, veteran citizen of the county, died at the family home east of Athens at 8:00 o'clock this morning. Mr. Caldwell was taken suddenly ill with acute indigestion after partaking of a hearty meal on Thursday noon. Dr. A. H. Easterling was called and found that he was suffering from acute indigestion. His condition grew more serious during the night, followed by a sinking spell this morning and at 8:00 o'clock he passed away.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at Shelby Chapel. Rev. A. J. Crawford, former pastor of the Presbyterian church here but now of Nacogdoches, will conduct the service. He will be assisted by Rev. S. L. Terry, local pastor.

Mr. Caldwell was born in Polk County, Georgia on April 17th, 1857 and was therefore 71 years of age on his last birthday. He came to Texas at the age of 19 and settled on his present homesite three miles east of Athens on the Athens-Tyler road. Mr. Caldwell was married to Miss Texana Hall in November 1893, who, with the following children survive him: Thomas, Miss Laura and William Caldwell of Athens, Mrs. G. M. Adams of Texhoma, Okla., and Royall of LaFeria. One son, John, died at Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio during the world war. He is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Newt Cox of Merit, Texas.

Although not a participant in the Civil War, Mr. Caldwell, as a boy, was frequently around the Confederate soldier and his heart was thoroughly in sympathy with the Confederate cause. He was an honorary member of the Howdy Martin Camp, Confederate Veterans of this city.

"Uncle Billy" Caldwell, as he was familiarly known, was a man who numbered his friends by his acquaintances. He was a man of strong convictions, and while not seeking office himself, he was active in all political campaigns. His friendship for ex-governor James E. Ferguson began shortly after he entered politics and continued up until his death. Mr. Ferguson was a frequent visitor in the Caldwell home and relied greatly on his political judgment in all his campaigns.

W. R. Caldwell was man of temperate habits, was frugal in his business as a farmer and was a living example of just what a man can accomplish in this section of East Texas by using business methods on the farm.

Early in life he identified himself with the Methodist church and continued his membership up until his death.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. CALDWELL FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. W. R. Caldwell of the Shelby Chapel community died in the Nan Travis hospital in Jacksonville Wednesday night at 10:20 o'clock after an extended illness.

Mrs. Caldwell, the former Miss Texana Hall, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hall, pioneer residents of the county, having resided in the Sand Flat community.

She was married to W. R. Caldwell in November 1894. He died on September 21, 1928.

She was an active member of the Presbyterian Church at Shelby Chapel for many years. She and Mr. Caldwell established their home near the church when they were married. They beautified the grounds near a spring on their property, and opened the place to all of the churches and civic organizations of Athens and the surrounding community as a picnic grounds. Boy Scouts held their camps there.

Surviving are three sons, T. H. and William Caldwell of Athens and Royall Caldwell of LaFeria; two daughters, Mrs. Laura Fowler of Dallas and Mrs. G. M. Adams of Athens; one sister, Mrs. J. M. Smith of San Fernando, California, and one half sister, Mrs. Fannie Skinner, also of San Fernando. One son, John B. Caldwell, died at Camp Travis in San Antonio on November 27, 1917, while in the service in World War I.

Funeral services will be held at the Shelby Chapel Church Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock with the Rev. W. E. Everheart and the Rev. Kermit Hollingsworth officiating. Burial will be in the Shelby Chapel Cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be W. E. Horton, D. M. Smith, Claud Brewer, A. B. Taylor, Harry Bell and W. A. Cecil. Honorary pallbearers will be H. D. Dean, O. G. Bass, R. P. Hallum, R. J. Horn, S. R. Hawkins, S. L. Powell, Vasker Loden, Clarence Brewer, P. A. Taylor, Hubert Fulton, Madison Smith, T. W. Foster, Claude Browning, Adrian Ford, Dr. L. L. Travis, Dr. N.D. Geddie, Dr. R. E. Joiner, Linnie Calhoun, Raymond Robbins, Joel Lusk and Bose Frizzell.

The Carroll & Lehr Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

EDITOR'S NOTE: These two obituaries did not contain the date nor the name of the newspaper in which they appeared, however we do know that William Rawley Caldwell died on 21 September 1928 according to his widow's obituary and from other sources.

E. 42 WILLIAM W. LYLE (Son of Ann Caldwell D.41)
b. ca 1852, Carroll County, Georgia.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

E. 43 RICHARD B. LYLE (Son of Ann Caldwell D.41)
b. ca 1854, Carroll County, Georgia.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

E. 44 JANE A. LYLE (Dgtr of Ann Caldwell D.41)
b. ca 1856, Carroll County, Georgia.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

E. 45 NANCY E. LYLE (Dgtr of Ann Caldwell D.41)
b. 21 August 1858, Carroll County, Georgia.
d. 5 September 1923, Carroll County, Georgia.
m. ca 1874, Carroll County, Georgia.
To: James E. Griffen.
Their Children:

E. 46 CHARLES L. LYLE (Son of Ann Caldwell D.41)
b. 1 March 1862, Carroll County, Georgia.
d. 3 July 1876, Carroll County, Georgia.

E. 47 WILLIAM IRA CALDWELL (Son of John Young Caldwell D.43)
b. August 1866, Mississippi.
d. 1935, Mississippi.
m. ca 1888, Mississippi.
To: Mattie L. Crump.
Their Children:

E. 48 JOHN YOUNG CALDWELL, JR. (Son of John Y. Caldwell D.43)
b. January 1867, Mississippi.
d. 1952, Mississippi.
m. 17 March 1898, Mississippi.
To: Muzette Gregory.
Their Children:

E. 49 NESSIE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Young Caldwell D.43)
b. ca 1869, Mississippi.
d.
m. 16 October 1890,
To: J. N. Francis

E. 50 MADIE VERA CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Young Caldwell D.43)
b. ca 1872, Mississippi.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children

E. 51 JULIA CAROLINE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Thomas R. Caldwell D.44)
b. 28 December 1869, Monroe County, Mississippi.
d. 8 October 1935,
m.
To: Bostick.
Their Children:

E. 52 WALTER HARRIS CALDWELL (Son of Thomas R. Caldwell D.44)
b. 2 August 1872, Monroe County, Mississippi.
d. 11 September 1953,
m. (1). To:
(2). To: Ida
(3). To: Mary Lou Cherry.
Their Children: (1).
(2).
(3).

E. 53 BERTIE ALLEN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Thomas R. Caldwell D.44)
b. 17 December 1874, Monroe County, Mississippi.
d.
m. To: Dilworth.
Their Children:

E. 54 HOMER FRANKLIN CALDWELL (Son of Thomas R. Caldwell D.44)
b. 7 August 1876, Monroe County, Mississippi.
d. 1 May 1941
m. To: Esther
Their Children:

E. 55 THOMAS YOUNG CALDWELL (Son of Thomas R. Caldwell D.44)
b. 10 March 1878, Monroe County, Mississippi.
d. 1945,
m. To: Robbie
Their Children:

E. 56 FRANKLIN ALLEN CALDWELL (Son of Benjamin F. Caldwell D.45)
b. 9 June 1876, Lee County, Mississippi.
d. 23 January 1949, Lee County, Mississippi.
m. after 1910 To: Jessie Goodson.
Their Children: one son Frank Allen Caldwell.

E. 57 JOHN Y. CALDWELL (Son of Benjamin Franklin Caldwell D.45)
b. 19 March 1878, Lee County, Mississippi.
d. 22 June 1909, Lee County, Mississippi.
m. ca 1904, Lee County, Mississippi.
To: Nannie J. _____
Their Children:

E. 58 BENJAMIN W. CALDWELL (Son of Benjamin F. Caldwell D.45)
b. 12 October 1879, Lee County, Mississippi.
d. 15 December 1954, Lee County, Mississippi.
m. ca 1903, Lee County, Mississippi.
To: Olga L. Tynes.
Their Children: 1 son b. 1904, 1 daughter b. 1908.

E. 59 WALTER B. CALDWELL (Son of Abner W. Caldwell D.46)
b. October 1880, Lee County, Mississippi.
d.
m..
To:
Their Children:

E. 60 THOMAS H. CALDWELL (Son of Abner W. Caldwell D.46)
b. November 1885, Lee County, Mississippi.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

E. 61 ANNIE L. CALDWELL (Dgtr of Abner W. Caldwell D46)
b. February 1889, Lee County, Mississippi.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

E. 62 ABNER WILBURN CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Abner Wilburn
b. April 1900, Lee County, Miss. Caldwell D.46)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

E. 63 HARRY CALDWELL (Son of William Sandy Caldwell D.65)
b. d.
m. To:
Their Children:

E. 64 JEANETTE CALDWELL (Dgtr of William S. Caldwell D.65)
b. 20 March 1888
d. 23 December 1960
m. To: Frank Marvin Ellis.
Their Children: F.76, F.77, F.78, F.79, F.80, F.81.

E. 65 EMILY CALDWELL (Dgtr of William S. Caldwell D.65)
b.
d. 28 April 1957
m. To: Joe Freel.
Their Children:

E. 66 JOSEPH NORVELLE CALDWELL (Son of William S. Caldwell D.65)
b. 24 December 1894, Carlisle, Kentucky.
d. 29 January 1953
m. To: Annie Pauline Saxon.
Their Children: F.82, F.83, F.84.

She was born 29 November 1905 in Clay County, Alabama, the daughter of Henry Paul Saxon and Dollie Oleta Caldwell Saxon. She died 9 June 1963 and is buried in Goodwater, Alabama.

E. 67 CLARENCE CALDWELL (Son of William S. Caldwell D.65)
b. d.
m. never married. Died at age of 9 from burns.

E. 68 AVERY CALDWELL (Son of William Sandy Caldwell D.65)
b. 2 September 1902
d.
m. To: Maenetta Smith.
Their Children: F.85, F.86.

E. 69 MARY LOU CALDWELL (Dgtr of Benjamin F. Caldwell D.67)
b. 12 March 1903, Alpine, Talladega County, Alabama.
d.
m. 28 June 1924 To: Eugene Morgan Whelchel.
Their Children: F.87, F.88.

Mary Lou Caldwell Whelchel was named for both of her grandmothers. She attended Jacksonville State College, Jacksonville, Alabama and worked as a teacher and secretary from 1923 to 1964. Her hobbies were contests, coin collecting and genealogy. She was a lifetime member of the Methodist church in Birmingham.

From July 1, 1925 until February 1, 1945 she worked for the Birmingham Branch of Pittsburg Testing Laboratories..

From February 23, 1945 until June 8, 1945 she worked for Alabama Appliance Company. At her retirement she was working for Charles F. Wheelock and Associates in Birmingham.

Her husband, Eugene Whelchel, was born 4 February 1902 at Anniston, Alabama.

From June 28, 1924 until February 1, 1925 she and her husband lived at Gantt's Quarry, Alabama.

Mary Lou was indefatigable in her genealogical research and did much to blaze a trail for those of us who came after her. She and my aunt, Johnnie Caldwell Files (Mrs. William T.) corresponded for many years and took several trips together searching for long lost ancestors and clues to their lives.

E. 70 ANNIE LOUISE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Benjamin Franklin Caldwell D. 62)
b. 7 October 1905
d.
m. 6 June 1925 to: Joseph Solomon Pope.
their children: F.89 (adopted)

Her husband, Joseph Solomon Pope, was born 6 August 1897 and died 8 June 1965 and is buried at Jefferson Memorial Gardens, Birmingham, Alabama.

E. 71 FRANCES ESTELLE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Benjamin Frk. Caldwell D.62)
b. 14 April 1906
d.
m. 21 July 1927 to: William Henry Cliett.
their children: F.90, F.91, F.92,

William Henry Cliett, her husband, was born 29 January 1901 and died 23 January 1969. He is buried in Childersburg, Alabama.

E. 72 FLORENCE COOK CALDWELL (Dgtr of Benjamin Frk. Caldwell D.62)
b. 24 July 1908,
d.
m. 11 May 1935 to: John Edward Hurst.
their children: F.93, F.94,

Her husband, John Edward Hurst, was born 31 August 1910 and died 29 December 1950. He is buried at Leeds, Alabama.

E. 73 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Benjamin Franklin Caldwell D.62)
b. 26 February 1911
d. 23 October 1964
m. 25 July 1934 to: Evelyn Cornelia Smith.
their children: F.95 F.96.

His wife, Evelyn Cornelia Smith, was born in Birmingham, Alabama on 4 April ___? He is buried in Jefferson Memorial Gardens, Birmingham, Alabama.

E. 74 WILLIE HUNTER CALDWELL (Dgtr of Benjamin Franklin Caldwell D.62)
b. 24 October 1913
d.
m. 18 July 1930 to: Charles C. Beck.
their children: F.97.

Charles C. Beck was born on 23 January 1913.

E. 75 DEWIE LUCILLE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Benjamin Franklin Caldwell D.62)
b. 8 April 1921
d.
m. 28 June 1940 to: Paul Jefferson Simmons.
their children: F.98, F.99, F.100.

Paul Jefferson Simmons was born on 1 March 1919 in Birmingham, Alabama.

E. 76 CHARLIE HARRIS CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 24 September 1887, Mississippi
d.
m. 18 May 1919 to: Velma Edwards.
their children: F.101.

He was probably born and married in Newton County, Mississippi. He lived, at one time, at Grayson, Caldwell Parish, Louisiana.

E. 77 JOSEPH COLUMBUS CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 28 December 1888, Mississippi
d.
m. 22 December 1913 to: Cittie Robinson.
their children: F.102 F.103 F.104.

E. 78 ALICE VIRGINIA CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 30 April 1890, Mississippi
d.
m. 4 November 1911 to: G. C. Little.
their children: F.105, F.106, F.107,

E. 79 ADDIE EUGENIA CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 30 April 1890, Mississippi
d. When quite young, Newton County, Mississippi.

E. 80 WILLIAM WALTER CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 14 October 1891, Mississippi
d. Quite young, Newton County, Mississippi.

E. 81 JAMES LUTHER CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 13 December 1892, Mississippi
d.
m. to: (1). Georgia Hill
(2). Cordel Hodge,
His children: F.108.

E. 82 LILLIE VIOLA CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 22 February 1894, Mississippi
d.
m. to: Narvin (Buck) Bradley.
their children: F.109, F.110, F.111.

E. 83 LEE ROY CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 3 September 1895, Mississippi
d. died young.

E. 84 FLOYD GREEN CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 29 October 1896, Mississippi
d. 1914
m. Never married.

E. 85 VICTOR ALLEN CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 18 May 1899, Mississippi
d.
m. to: Bessie Morse.
their children: F.112, F.113, F.114.

E. 86 OLLIE MORRIS CALDWELL (Son of William H. Caldwell D.73)
b. 22 January 1901, Mississippi
d. 21 December 1979,
m. to: Marguerite Killien.
their children: F.115, F.116.

E. 87 WILMA OTIS CALDWELL (Son of William H. Caldwell D.73)
b. 4 August 1902, Newton County, Mississippi
d. 12 January 1975, Newellton, Tensas Parish, Louisiana.
m. 1928 to: Vera Payne.
their children: F.117.

His obituary from the *Monroe Morning World*, Monroe, Louisiana, 13 January 1975 reads:

"W. O. CALDWELL, Newellton, W.O. "Tebe" Caldwell, 67 (?), died early Sunday morning in St. Charles Legion Memorial Hospital here after a long illness.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the chapel of Winnsboro First National Funeral Home of Winnsboro with the Reverend R. E. McDonald officiating.

Burial will be in the Crowville Masonic Cemetery at Crowville.

Mr. Caldwell was the owner and operator of a general merchandise store and a member of the First Baptist Church of Winnsboro.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Vera Payne Caldwell of St. Joseph, one son, James Caldwell of New City, N.Y., two brothers, Otho Caldwell of Alexandria, and Ollie Caldwell of Crowville, one sister, Mrs. Lula Mae Clark of Newellton; and two grandchildren.

Nephews will serve as pallbearers.

E. 88 EDGAR MOSSATT CALDWELL (Son of William H. Caldwell D.73)
b. 6 December 1903, Newton County, Mississippi.
d. 13 April 1971, Tyler, Texas.
m. to: (1) Hazel Holmes
(2). Estelle
His children: F.118, F.119, F.120..

His obituary in the *Monroe Morning World* reads as follows:

EDGAR M. CALDWELL, RAYVILLE, - Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m., today for Edgar M. Caldwell, 67, of Rayville, in the chapel of Rayville Funeral Service with Dr. H. R. Herrington and Brother Henry Bowden officiating. Burial will be in Rayville Masonic Cemetery.

Mr. Caldwell died Tuesday in Tyler, Texas, after a short illness.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Estelle Caldwell of Rayville; a son, Edgar Melvin Caldwell of Longview, Texas, two stepsons, Dallas Thomason and Wilton Thomason, both of Rayville; two daughters, Mrs. John Nash Lewis of Delhi and Mrs. J. P. Jones of Tyler; three brothers Ollie Caldwell of Crowville, Tebe Caldwell of St. Joseph and Otho Caldwell of Alexandria; four sisters, Mrs. Alice Little, Mrs. Viola Bradley, both of Monroe, Mrs. Lula Mae Clark of Newellton and Mrs. Opal Ludke of Vicksburg, Miss.; and nine grandchildren.

E. 89 LONNIE LAMAR CALDWELL (Son of William H. Caldwell D.73)
b. 25 April 1905, Newton County, Mississippi
d. 1933
m. Never married.

E. 90 OTHO HERBERT CALDWELL (Son of William Harris Caldwell D.73)
b. 14 May 1907, Newton County, Mississippi
d. 1978/79, Louisiana
m. to: Mary Ingram.
their children: F.121, F.122.

In 1971 he was living in Alexandria, Louisiana.

E. 91 ANNIE GRACE CALDWELL (Dgtr of William H. Caldwell D.73)
b. 14 August 1908, Newton County, Mississippi
d. Young
m. Never married.

E. 92 LULA MAE CALDWELL (Dgtr of William H. Caldwell D.73)
b. 18 September 1910, Hickory, Newton County, Mississippi.
d. 11 July 1986, Louisiana.
m. 28 June 1930, St. Joseph, Tensas Parish, Louisiana.
to: Clyde Harold Clark, b. 30 December 1905, Winston Co., MS.
their children: F.123, F.124, F.125.

The Clarks are members of the Baptist Church. He is the manager of a lumber mill. His parents were Forest and Ella Nora Whitten Clark.

E. 93 MARY OPAL CALDWELL (Dgtr of William H. Caldwell D.73)
b. 16 August 1912, probably Newton County, Mississippi.
d. 16 July 1974, Vicksburg, Mississippi.
m. 1932, to: Alexander Adolph "Buddy" Ludke.
their children: F.126, F.127.

F. 1 HARRY MCGHEE (Son of Ida Caldwell E.1)
b.
d.
m. to:
their children:

F. 2 LETA MCGHEE (Dgtr of Ida Caldwell E.1)
b.
d.
m. to:
their children:

F. 3 IRENE MCGHEE (Dgtr of Ida Caldwell E.1)
b.
d.
m. to:
their children:

F. 4 ANNIE KATIE MCGHEE (Dgtr of Ida Caldwell E.1)
b.
d.
m. to:
their children:

F. 5 INEZ MCGHEE (Dgtr of Ida Caldwell E.1)
b.
d.
m. to:
their children:

F. 6 FRANK MCGHEE (Son of Ida Caldwell E.1)
b.
d.
m. to:
their children:

F. 7 IDA MCGHEE (Dgtr of Ida Caldwell E.1)
b.
d.
m. to:

F. 8 EDGAR DRAYTON CALDWELL (Son of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 21 February 1886, Fayetteville, Talladega County, Alabama.
d. 20 October 1956, Sylacauga, Talladega County, Alabama.
bur. Sylacauga, Talladega County, Alabama.
m. 1 December 1912, Sylacauga, Talladega, Alabama.
to: Susie Elvie Keith.
their children: G.1, G.2, G.3, G.4, G.5, G.6.

He and his wife were members of the First Baptist Church, Sylacauga, Alabama.

She was born on 26 May 1891 at Shelby, Shelby County, Alabama, the daughter of James Henry and Ellie Inez Parker Keith. She died on 3 April 1973 at Sylacauga, Alabama and is buried there.

F. 9 EASLEY LAFAYETTE CALDWELL (Son of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 19 December 1887, Fayetteville, Talladega, AL.
d. 29 December 1969, Alpine, Talladega, Alabama.
bur. 30 December 1969, Grasmere Cemetery, Grasmere, Alabama.
m. 22 August 1909, Plantersville, Talladega, Alabama.
to: Emma Lou Strickland.
their children: G.7, G.8, G.9, G.10, G.11.

He was a farmer and merchant and he and his wife were members of the Methodist Church.

Emma Lou Strickland Caldwell was born 15 November 1890 at Plantersville, Talladega County, Alabama, the daughter of William Thomas Strickland and Luraney Davis. She died on 22 September 1984 at Talladega, Talladega County, Alabama and was buried on 23 September 1984 in the Grasmere Cemetery, Taladega County, Alabama.

F. 10 DOLLIE OLETA CALDWELL (Dgtr of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 4 July 1889, Kymulga, Talladega County, Alabama.
d. 17 April 1958,
bur. Goodwater, Alabama, Coosa County.
m. 24 January 1906, Grasmere, Talladega County, Alabama.
to: Henry Paul Saxon.
their children: G.12, G.13, G.14, G.15, G.16, G.17, G.18.

Her husband, Henry Paul Saxon, was born on 12 October 1872 and died on 23 May 1956.

F. 11 ANNIE ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Dgtr of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 9 December 1890, Kymulga, Talladega, Alabama.
d. 19 March 1981, Talladega, Talladega Co., Alabama.
m. 3 January 1916, Grasmere Community, Talladega, Alabama.
to: Boss Ragan Hare. m. (2). Geo. Washington Ingram, 4 Nov 1947.
their children: G.19, G.20, G.21.
m. (2). George Washington Ingram, 1 November 1947, Pell City, AL.

She was a member of the Cartersville Baptist Church, Talladega County, Alabama.

Her husband, Boss Ragan Hare, was born on 24 May 1876 in the Lanier Community, Talladega County, Alabama, he died on 21 March 1945, Grasmere Community and was buried on 22 March 1945 in Grasmere Cemetery. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church. He was the son of James Marion Hare and Rebecca Hawkins.

After the death of her first husband she married George Washington Ingram Who died on 18 October 1954.

F. 12 JOSIE FRANKLIN CALDWELL (Dgtr of John E. Caldwell D.2)
b. 25 January 1892, Grasmere Community, Talladega, Alabama.
d. 14 January 1963,
m. 1 January 1909 to: Benjamin Franklin Strickland.
their children: G.22, G.23, G.24, G.25, G.26, G.27, G.28
G.29, G.30, G.31, G.32.

F. 13 IRIS PERMEASHER CALDWELL (Dgtr of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 31 July 1893, Grasmere, Talladega, Alabama.
d. 18 August 1977,
m. 28 April 1912 to: William Arthur Maxwell.
their children: G.33, G.34, G.35, G.36, G.37.

F. 14 INFANT DGTR CALDWELL (Dgtr of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 8 January 1895, Grasmere Community, Talladega, Alabama.
d. 10 August 1895.

F. 15 WILLIE CLYDE CALDWELL (Son of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 13 August 1896, Grasmere Community, Talladega, Alabama.
d. 27 July 1945, Veterans Hospital, Montgomery, Alabama.
bur: Hepzibah Cemetery, Talladega County, Alabama.
m. 25 May 1919, Talladega, Talladega County, Alabama.
to: Grace Lenora Hubbard.
their children: G.38, G.39, G.40.

He and his wife belonged to the Hepzibah Baptist Church in Talladega County, Alabama. He served in the United States Navy during World War I.

Grace Hubbard Caldwell was born on 11 July 1900 in Renfroe, Talladega County, Alabama, the daughter of James R. Hubbard and Mattie Ella Caldwell. She died on 24 December 1961.

F. 16 MAVIES ZELLA CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Edgar Caldwell
b. 3 August 1898, Grasmere Community, Talladega, AL. E.2)
d. 12 February 1987, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
m. 21 December 1913 to: Marvin Akin Wesson.
their children: G.41, G.42, G.43, G.44, G.45, G.46, G.47, G.48, G.49, G.50, G.51.

Her husband was born 26 May 1895, at Kymulga, AL, the son of Walter Frank Wesson and his wife Maggie Elizabeth Caldwell. Mavies Zella Caldwell Wesson is buried in Forest Lawn Gardens, Anniston, Alabama. Marvin Akin Wesson died on 05 April 1987 at Talladega, AL. He is buried in the Green Hill Cemetery, Childersburg, AL.

F. 17 LUCILLE FRANCES CALDWELL (Dgtr of John E. Caldwell
b. 10 March 1900, Grasmere Community, Talladega, AL. E.2)
d.
m. (1). L. M. Knight, 27 July 1924, Grasmere, Talladega, AL.
Their children: G.52, G.53.
m. (2). Walter Daniel Hudson, 25 October 1931, Talladega, AL.
Their children: G.54, G.55.
m. (3). Jesse Thomas Brown, 14 January 1954, Lanett, Alabama.
Their children: none.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church, Talladega, Alabama. Her first husband, L. M. Knight, was born 1 August 1890 in Tallapoosa County, Alabama, died on 7 August 1968 in Pittsburg, Kansas and is buried in the Military Cemetery, Fort Scott, Kansas. He was the son of James T. Knight and Elizabeth Todd.

Her second husband, Walter Daniel Hudson, was born on 26 May 1866 in Chambers County, Alabama, died 23 March 1943 at Grasmere, Alabama and is buried in Grasmere Cemetery. He was the son of Cicero Demonstinese Hudson and Lavinia Lutitia Holiday.

Jesse Thomas Brown, her third husband, was born on 2 January 1888 in Bullock County, Alabama, died 3 December 1973 in LaFayette, Chambers County, Alabama and is buried in Bethel Cemetery, Randolph County, AL.

F. 18 INFANT SON CALDWELL (Son of John E. Caldwell D.2)
b. 5 June 1901, Grasmere Community, Talladega, Alabama.
d. 6 June 1901,

F. 19 THERIE STELLA CALDWELL (Dgtr of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 3 January 1903, Grasmere Community, Talladega, Alabama.
d. 15 March 1957, Grasmere Community, Talladega, Alabama.
bur: 17 March 1957, Grasmere Cemetery, Talladega, Alabama.
m. 31 December 1922, Grasmere, Talladega, Alabama.
To: Owen Archie Rorie.
Their children: G.56, G.57, G.58.

She was a member of the Cartersville Baptist Church, Talladega County, Alabama.

Her husband, Owen Archie Rorie, was born on 9 November 1893 in Chambers County, Alabama, died on 25 January 1963 in Grasmere, Talladega County, Alabama, was buried in the Grasmere CEmetery on 27 January 1963. He was a member of the Oak Grove Methodist Church, Talladega County, Alabama. He was the son of Clarence Oscar Rorie and Willie Hudson and was a farmer and merchant.

F. 20 JOHNNIE MARION CALDWELL (Son of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 5 November 1904, Grasmere Community, Talladega, Alabama.
d.
m. 24 December 1925, Jasper, Walker County, Alabama.
To: Edna Evoline Scruggs.
Their Children: G.59, G.60, G.61, G.62, G.63.

He and his wife were members were members of the Cartersville Baptist Church, Talladega County, Alabama.

His wife, Edna Evoline Scruggs, was born 26 December 1907 in Winston County, Alabama, the daughter of James Thomas Scruggs and Ida Sallieta Bankston.

F. 21 EUNICE HENRIETTA CALDWELL (Dgtr of John E. Caldwell E.2)
b. 26 March 1907, Grasmere Community, Talladega Co.
d. 22 March 1974, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.
m. 6 April 1924, Grasmere, Talladega County, AL.
To: John Tillman Banks.
Their Children: G.64, G.65, G.66.

Her husband was born 5 March 1899 at Jasper, AL, the son of Benjamin Hill Banks and his wife Thyma Randolph.

F. 22 WILLIAM C. CALDWELL (Son of Edward Joseph Caldwell E.4)
b. 30 October 1900, Kymulga, Talladega, AL.
d. 01 December 1982, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
m. 25 December 1927, Jasper, Walker Co., AL.
To: Ruby Mae Parrish. (2). Ida Lee Bice.
Their Children: G.67, G.68. (1st marriage)

He was a member of the Baptist Church. His first wife, Ruby Mae Parrish was born 12 June 1902 in Randolph County, AL, the daughter of William Marion Parrish and wife Nancy Ellen McCullock. She died on 27 December 1959 in Sylacauga, AL. They are buried in Evergreen Cemetery, Sylacauga, AL.

F. 23 JOHN ALBERT CALDWELL (Son of Edward J. Caldwell E.4)
b. 11 February 1905, Kymulga, Talladega, AL.
d. 21 November 1955,
m. 08 December 1934, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Neta Mae Jones.
Their Children: G.69, G.70.

His wife, Neta Mae Jones, was born on 15 February 1916 at the St. Ives Community, Talladega Co., AL, and died 10 July 1985 at Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL. She was a Methodist. They are buried in Grasmere Cemetery, Talladega Co., AL.

F. 24 WILLIAM FRANKLIN CALDWELL (Son of Franklin Nichols Caldwell E.5)
b. 23 November 1898, Kymulga, Alabama.
d. 12 February 1899, Kymulga, Talladega County, Alabama.

F. 25 CLARENCE HUNTER CALDWELL (Son of Franklin Nichols Caldwell E.5)
b. 8 September 1901, Kymulga, Alabama.
d.
m. 28 April 1934, Villa, Rice County, Georgia.
To: Marjorie Elizabeth Waldrop.
Their Children: G.71, G.72, G.73.

He and his wife are members of the Baptist Church. His wife was born on 20 November 1907 in Villa, Rice County, Georgia the daughter of James Abraham Waldrop and Beulah Aileta Gunter.

F. 26 JULIUS CLIFTON CALDWELL (Son of Franklin Nichols Caldwell E.5)
b. 31 August 1903, Lanier, Alabama.
d.
m. 10 November 1928, Steubenville, Ohio.
To: Ruby Pauline Priest.
Their Children: G.74, G.75, G.76.

He and his wife are members of the Baptist Church. His occupation was that of machinist. His wife was born on 20 December 1907 in Marietta, Georgia, the daughter of Elijah Almond Priest and Alice Victoria Gunter.

F. 27 ANNIE EUGENIA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Franklin N. Caldwell E.5)
b. 14 April 1905, Lanier, Talladega, Alabama.
d. 7 October 1906, Lanier, Talladega, Alabama.

F. 28 FRANCES LOUISE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Franklin Nichols Caldwell E.5)
b. 28 October 1907, Lanier, Alabama.
d.
m. 16 September 1933, Anniston, Alabama.
To: Malcolm Jason Meadows.
Their Children: G.77.

She is a member of the Methodist Church. Her husband was born in Marcoat, Alabama on 5 September 1902, died on 16 April 1970 and was buried in Anniston, Alabama on 17 April 1970. He was a Baptist. His occupation was that of meter tester.

F. 29 JAMIE LOIS CALDWELL (Dgtr of Franklin N. Caldwell E.5)
b. 1 January 1913, Lanier, Talladega County, Alabama.
d.
m. 21 November 1936, Washington, D.C.
To: John Beverly Sauls.
Their Children: G.78, G.79, G.80.

She and her husband are both members of the Methodist Church. He was born on 18 July 1913 in Ayden, North Carolina the son of "Doc" Sauls. He served in the United States Army.

F. 30 FLORAMAE MABEN (Dgtr of William Henry Maben E.18)
b. 4 September 1909, Lake Providence, Louisiana.
d.
m. 28 July 1928, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.
To: Sterling Piper Merrill.
Their Children: G.81, G.82, G.83.

Her husband was born on 28 July 1903 in Laddell, West Baton Rouge Parish, Louisiana. He died in 1959.

F. 31 JENNIE SUE MABEN (Dgtr of William Henry Maben E.18)
b. 22 November 1911, Lake Providence, Louisiana.
d.
m. 18 February 1929, Benton, Saline, Arkansas.
To: William Roy Abernethy. b. 03 Apr 1911, Houlka, MS.
Their Children: Bettye Joan Abernethy
William Roy Abernethy, Jr. d. 28 July 1985.

F. 32 VALERIE HARBIN (Dgtr of William Caldwell Harbin E.19)
b. , Mississippi.
d. 1918, Mississippi.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F. 33 LEON CALDWELL HARBIN (Son of William Caldwell Harbin E.19)
b. 7 January 1901, Sharkey County, Mississippi.
d. 24 January 1987,
m. 8 September 1928, Lake Providence, East Carroll Parish, Louisiana.
To: Mary Eloise Mitchell.
Their Children: G.84, G.85.

Leon Caldwell Harbin lived in and around Holly Bluff, Mississippi until 1922 when he came to Lake Providence, Louisiana where he worked as a hotel clerk from 1922 to 1931 for his relative William Henry Maben (E.18). For four years, 1931-1935, he worked for the town of Lake Providence. He was Chief Deputy Sheriff of East Carroll Parish from 1935 until his retirement in October 1957. He is a member of the First Methodist Church, Lake Providence, member of Pecan Grove Lodge #222, F. & A. M. and the National Sheriff's Association.

His wife, Mary Eloise, was born 14 December 1907 in Ripley, TN, the daughter of James Robert Efford Mitchell and Lena Stowe. Her father was born 13 January 1875, died 1 October 1931, married Lena Stowe on 14 July 1897. She was born 13 February 1877 and died 3 October 1950. Eloise lived in Tennessee until 1917 when she moved to Arkansas. She lived at Higden, Morrilton and Little Rock prior to moving to Lake Providence in 1925 where she finished high school that same year. After high school she completed a course of study at the Monroe Business College and then went to work at the Ford Motor Company for a short time. She took a job with the Lake Providence Bank in October 1925 and remained employed there until her retirement in February 1973.

F. 34 KATIE HARBIN (Dgtr of William Caldwell Harbin E.19)
b.
d. 1960,
m.
To: Freddie Thrash

F. 35 BENOIT JOHN HARBIN (Son of John Ellington Harbin E.20)
b. 1904,
d. 1958,
m. 1948, To: Martha Swantz.

F. 36 MAURINE EUGENIA HARBIN (Dgtr of John E. Harbin E.20)
b. 14 December 1906, Holly Bluff, Yazoo Co., MS.
d. 3 November 1985, Mercy Hospital, Vicksburg, MS.
Never married.

She lived in Holly Bluff all of her life, attended Bellhaven College and Delta State College where she received her B.A. degree in Elementary Education. She taught in the elementary grades for 45 years.

She was a lifelong member of the Methodist church. Traveling was her major hobby and she had visited Hawaii, Japan, Hong Kong, the Phillipines, Greece and England, In 1965 she, with her sister Melba Griffis and cousin May Hull Griffith toured Europe, visiting with her nephew who was in the Army as a chaplain in Germany.

F. 37 MARGARET MELBA HARBIN (Dgtr of John E. Harbin E.20)
b. 29 September 1908, Holly Bluff, Yazoo Co., MS.
d.
m. 23 April 1933, Yazoo City, Yazoo Co., MS.
To: James Wilson Griffis.
Their Children: G.86, G.87.

She has lived all of her married life in Yazoo City. She graduated from Holly Bluff High School in 1926, Mississippi State College for Women, Columbus, Mississippi in 1930 and attended Mississippi College, Clinton, Mississippi where she received her Masters Degree in Education...1966-1967.

She taught school at Benton, Yazoo Agricultural High School from 1930 to 1932 and again from 1952 to 1954 at Eden. From 1954 to 1974 she taught at Yazoo City where she retired.

At the age of 11 she joined the Methodist Church...was baptised as a baby. She served as president of the Methodist Womens Society for two two year terms.

She served as president of the Garden Club and Garden Club Council, president of the P.T.A. , on the official board of the Methodist Church, the hospital board, president of the Retired Teachers Association and was a member of the King's Daughters and belongs to two bridge clubs.

James Wilson Griffis, her husband, was born 27 November 1908 in Yazoo City, Mississippi. He died on 30 October 1982. He was in the hardware business.

F. 38 PET CALDWELL HARBIN (Son of John Ellington Harbin E.20)
b. 26 November 1910, Holly Bluff, MS.
d.
m. 21 January 1944, Yazoo City, Yazoo Co., MS.
To: Alice House.
Their Children:

He lived at Holly Bluff, MS. and Camp Shelby, MS, served three years in the military during world war II. His wife, Alice house was born 12 February 1912 in Chickasaw Co., MS the daughter of Benjamin Lewis House and his wife Carrie Alton House. He was a Methodist.

F. 39 EFFIE MAE BELL (dgtr of Adelia Ellen Caldwell E.21)
b. 28 October 1901, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, LA.
d. 30 July 1971, Baton Rouge, LA.
m. 08 November 1926, Wilmot, Ashley, AR.
To: Thomas Henry Moody.
Their Children: G.89.

Her husband was born on 15 August 1897 in North Little Rock, AR, the son of Josiah K. Larche Moody and his wife Leona Frances Henry. He died on 14 April 1950 in New York City, NY.

F. 40 DAISY DONNIE BELL (dgtr of Adelia Ellen Caldwell E.21)
b. 27 February 1903,
d. 09 December 1977,
m. 1927,
To: William T. Land.
Their Children: G.90.

She and her husband lived in Texas for many years where he was employed by various oil companies and she operated a grocery store. After World War II they came back to Wilmot, Arkansas where they ran a theater and grocery. Donnie was a redhead. Bill Land was born on 30 October 1902 and died on 29 December 1975.

F. 41 JOHN ROBERT BELL, JR. (son of Adelia E. Caldwell E.21)
b. 1905,
d. 17 February 1982, Buried: Mt. Pleasant Cem., Ashley Co.
m. (1). (2).
To: (1). (2). Ella Mae Graves.
Their Children (1): G.91, G.92.

He was a career Army man who returned to Wilmot, AR after his retirement.

F. 42 JOSEPH CALDWELL BELL (son of Adelia Ellen Caldwell E.21)
b. 30 June 1908, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d. 25 May 1950, Monroe, Ouachita, LA.
m. 10 January 1929, Ross Van Ness, Chicot, AR.
To: Jewell Reynolds.
Their Children: G.93.

"Jack" Bell was a farmer and merchant. For many years he operated a farm and general store in the Empire Community about nine miles east of Parkdale on Arkansas Highway #8. He was a Baptist.

He reminded the author very much of his father John Robert Bell in appearance and mannerisms with his father's deep, somewhat gruff voice. Sometime prior to his death he suffered a stroke and never fully recovered. His wife Jewell was born 26 July 1914 in Des Arc, AR, the daughter of Robert Wheeler Reynolds and his wife Bessie Lee White.

F. 43 FRANCES JEANNETTE BELL (Dgtr of Adelia Ellen Caldwell E.21)
b. November 1910, Parkdale, Ashley Co., AR.
d.
m. December 1931, Baton Rouge, LA.
To: William A. McBroom.
Their Children: G.94, G.95.

Her husband was born in August 1908, Natchez, MS, the son of Will Dan and Eunice McBroom. He is a farmer and cattle rancher.

F. 44 LAWRENCE LEMUEL WOLFE (Son of Ida Caldwell E.22)
b. 8 November 1898, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d. 29 July 1917,
m.
To;
Their Children:

F. 45 WAYNE CALVIN WOLFE (Son of Ida Caldwell E.22)
b. 12 June 1903, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d. 29 October 1970, Bastrop, Morehouse, LA.
m. 10 September 1927,
To: Loree Brownlow.
Their Children: G.96, G.97, G.98, G.99, G.100, G.101.

They had twin children die as infants. He worked as a farmer for many years at Parkdale, Ashley County, AR. Later in life he worked at the International Paper Company Mill in Bastrop, Louisiana.

F. 46 TRAVIS WOLFE (Son of Ida Caldwell E.22)
b. 24 January 1905, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d. 1966, CA.
m.
To: Evelyn Kidwell.
Their Children: G.102.

F. 47 MARY EVELYN BLANKS (Dgtr of Florence Mae Caldwell E.23)
b. 18 November 1907, , Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d. 30 June 1982 , Dermott, Chicot County, Arkansas.
m. 16 April 1931, Dermott, Chicot, Arkansas.
To: Martin Roy Waltman.
Their Children: G.103, G.104.

She taught school for many years in Dermott and Collins, AR. Her husband was born 01 July 1907 at Leslie, AR, the son of Elvis Marcelus Waltman and his wife Sarah Sandene.

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Top row: Ozilla Frances Caldwell F.53, William Wallace Caldwell F.52: Bottom row: John Paul Caldwell F.54 and John Maurice Caldwell F.51.

JOHN MAURICE CALDWELL F.51 AND WILLIAM WALLACE CALDWELL F.52
(About 1905)

F. 48 LOIS ELIZABETH BLANKS (Dgtr of Florence M. Caldwell E.23)
b. 2 November 1910, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d.
m. 28 September 1938, Dermott, Chicot County, Arkansas.
To: Paul Acruman.
Their Children: G.105, G.106.

Paul Acruman was born at Mena, Polk County, Arkansas on 22 August 1910 and died on 18 August 1969 at Texarkana, Miller County, Arkansas. He was an investor and artist. They were members of the Baptist Church. He was the son of Louis Clyde Acruman and Anne Katherine Mershon.

F. 49 MARIAN DAISY BLANKS (Dgtr of Florence Mae Caldwell E.23)
b. 23 September 1914, Dermott, Chicot County, AR.
d.
m. 09 March 1936, Arkansas City, Desha Co., AR.
To: James Andrew Johns, Jr.
Their Children: G.107, G.108, G.109, G.110.

She taught school for 21 years. Her husband was the son of James A. and Margaret Hightower Johns and was born in Warren, AR, 1 March 1915.

F. 50 FRANCES JEANETTE BLANKS (Dgtr of Florence M. Caldwell E.23)
b. 29 April 1917, Dermott, Chicot County, Arkansas.
d.
m. 3 January 1948,
To: Henry Archibald Morgan.
Their Children: G.111, G.112.

Henry Archibald Morgan was born at Ardmore, Oklahoma on 11 March 1915 and died on 27 October 1977.

F. 51 JOHN MAURICE CALDWELL (Son of John Henry Caldwell E.24)
b. 29 September 1904, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d. 22 March 1973, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.
bur: Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas.
m. ,(1). Zell Stodgell. (divorced).
m. (2). 29 November 1942,
To: Willie Williams.
Their Children: G.113, G.114.

John Maurice and his twin, William Wallace Caldwell, were christened in the Parkdale Methodist Church, Parkdale, Arkansas on 22 October 1905 by Reverend J. R. Dickerson.

He grew up in his birthplace, attended public schools there and worked in his father's general store and on the family farm. He attended Hendrix College, a Methodist school, in Conway, Arkansas. For most of his adult life he was a merchant, working for his father and later operating the store until his death, except for a period from 1942 to 1945, during World War II, when he was employed by Rohr Aircraft Co.

MARGARET ERION CALDWELL

Margaret Elizabeth Erion Caldwell (wife of William Wallace Caldwell F.52) is seen at the left with friends _____ and Ellen Parker. (about 1925-1926)

JOHN PAUL CALDWELL F.54
at Marion Institute, Marion, Alabama. (1920's).

and Ryan Aircraft Company in San Diego, California.

He was very adept with figures and an excellent groceryman and merchant who was respected for his ability.

His second wife and mother of his daughters, Dorothy Jane and Sara Maureen Caldwell, Willie Williams was born at Farmerville, Louisiana on 7 June 1915, the daughter of John Tom Williams and Jessie Jane Compton. She operated a beauty shop in Parkdale for many years.

J. M. "Molly" Caldwell was a member of Concord Lodge #23, F & A. M.

F. 52 WILLIAM WALLACE CALDWELL (Son of John Henry Caldwell E.24)
b. 29 September 1904, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d. 10 May 1930, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
bur: Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas.
m. 25 December 1926, Little Rock, Pulaski County, Arkansas.
To: Margaret Elizabeth Erion.
Their Children: G.115.

The twin of John Maurice Caldwell (F.51), Wallace Caldwell grew up and was educated in the Parkdale Public Schools. He worked in his father's general merchandise store and on the family farm. He attended Hendrix College, Conway, Arkansas, the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas and the University of California at Berkeley, California. Ill health, nephritis, forced him to cut short his education. From the time of his marriage until his death he was a bookkeeper at Caldwell Company, his father's store in Parkdale.

He and his brother were almost identical twins and many people could not tell them apart.

His wife, Margaret Elizabeth Erion, was born in Little Rock, AR on 29 June 1909, the daughter of Walter Booth Erion and Mary Jeanette Wilson. They were married in the Highland Heights Reformed Presbyterian Church in Little Rock during a snowstorm. Margaret Erion's mother and his mother had been childhood friends in Little Rock and after their marriages continued to visit each other. Margaret and Frances Caldwell (F.53) were good friends and Margaret visited in Parkdale often prior to her marriage. Many people have told me that she was the most beautiful woman to ever come to Parkdale. She died on 15 October 1927 at St. Vincents Infirmary, Little Rock, from uremic poisoning and the complications of childbirth, she was eighteen years of age. She was buried on 16 October 1927 at Oaklawn Cemetery but was later moved to Roselawn Cemetery (both in Little Rock).

F. 53 OZILLA FRANCES CALDWELL (Dgtr of John H. Caldwell E.24)
b. 11 January 1907, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d. 21 July 1947, Greenville, Washington Co., Mississippi.
m. 10 March 1943, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
To: Paul Champ Tyrone.
Their Children: G.116.

Frances Caldwell grew up in Parkdale, Arkansas and attended the public schools there. She attended John Brown University in Siloam Springs, Arkansas and Draughons School of Business in Little Rock. She worked in her father's general store as a clerk and bookkeeper for many years. During the 1930's she worked for the Agricultural Adjustment Administration in Little Rock.

After her marriage to Paul Champ Tyrone she lived in McGehee, Arkansas until her death.

Her husband worked for the Missouri Pacific Railroad for over fifty years and was an engineer at the time of his retirement.

He was born on 22 February 1901 in Prentiss, MS, the son of Larkin Tyrone and Anna Thurman. He died at McGehee, AR on 7 December 1977.

F. 54 JOHN PAUL CALDWELL (Son of John Henry Caldwell E.24)
b. 10 December 1908, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d. 4 August 1976, Lake Village, Chicot County, Arkansas.
buried: Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas.
m. (1). 25 January 1935, To: Carolyn Sue Matlock.
(2). 21 July 1962, To: Dorothy Haynes McDaniel.
Their children: (2). G.117, G.118. (adopted)

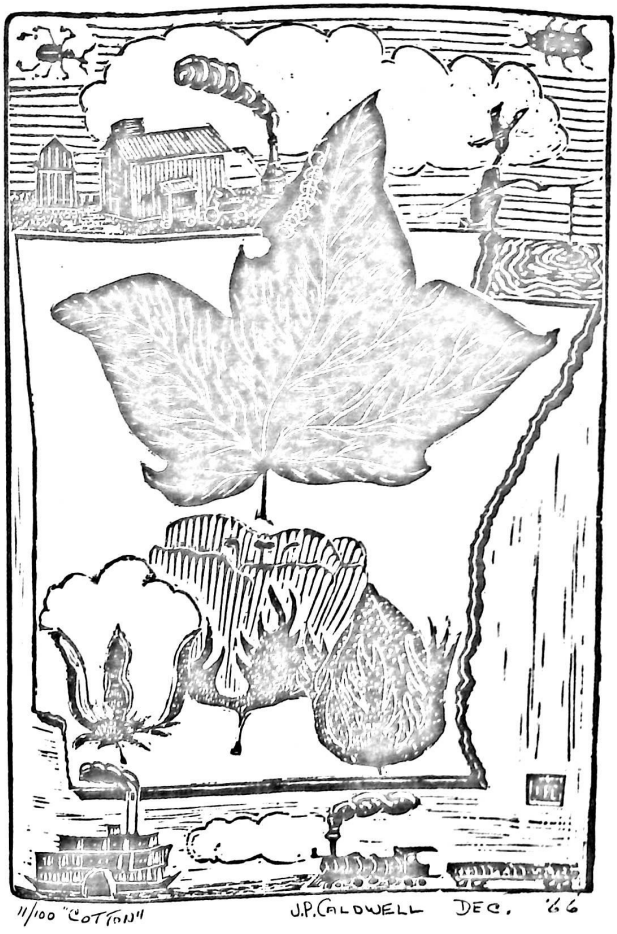
Born Joseph Paul Caldwell, he later legally changed his first name to John. He was reared in Parkdale, worked on the Caldwell Farm and in the family general store.

He attended the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas where he lettered in track (hurdles). Due to harsh economice conditions during the Great Depression he concluded his studies early and returned to Parkdale where he was employed in the Bank of Parkdale. He continued there for almost forty years and was vice president and cashier at his retirement.

An avid gardener he routinely put in a large vegetable garden and his grounds surrounding his home were beautifully landscaped, planted with hundreds of beautiful shrubs and flowers and always tended with love.

He was sought by countless people in the area for his sage advice on matters financial and personal. When his father died in 1965 the responsibility for the family affairs fell on his shoulders and he served as administrator of his father's trust until his death in 1976.

He was a political conservative and dispaired of the trend toward socialism in this country believing fervently that hard work and thrift were the keys to success - not government handouts. He regularly invested as much as possible in the stock of oldline companies - General Electric - Union Carbide - etc. for growth and not as a speculator. For many years he walked to work from his home on Bayou Bartholomew - a distance of about a mile - before he finally bought an automobile. He never bought an item until he was in a position to pay for it.



JOHN PAUL CALDWELL - LINO CUT

The example reproduced above illustrates the results of the linoleum cut process employed by the artist. He more frequently used the woodcut process for illustrations this size. Note the detail, the boll weevil, ladybug, steamboat and cotton gin. In this work we see the metamorphis of the cotton plant from bloom to early boll to mature open snow white termination of the process.

He was the one we all depended on for advice and counsel and his death left a great void - we had never considered the possibility that we would be left without him to guide us over the shoals and sandbars of life.

His first wife, Carolyn Sue Matlock, was the daughter of Dr. Matlock, a physician residing in Carthage, Arkansas where she was born. She taught school in Parkdale for many years after their marriage and died on 15 March 1955 at their home in Parkdale after a long illness.

Dorothy Haynes McDaniel, his second wife, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vessie Haynes of Wilmot, Ashley County, Arkansas. She was born on 24 September 1929. "Pete" Caldwell adopted her two daughters, Lynn and Ann McDaniel.

He was a gifted artist, wood engraver and wood carver. He taught himself the difficult art of wood engraving and produced many beautiful prints which he many times sent to friends and relatives as Christmas cards. His work won a number of blue ribbons at the Ashley County Fair and other art shows.

F. 55 SADYE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Henry Caldwell E.24)
b. 16 March 1911, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas
d. 16 September 1911, Parkdale, Ashley County, Ark.
buried: Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas.

F. 56 EFFIE MAE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Henry Caldwell E.24)
b. 03 August 1914, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d. 27 October 1914, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
buried: Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Arkansas.

F. 57 JOHNNIE MAE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Henry Caldwell E.24)
b. 03 August 1918, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d.
m. 1 November 1934, Montrose, Ashley County, Arkansas.
To: William Thomas Files.
Their Children: G.119, G.120, G.121.

Johnnie Mae Caldwell was born and raised in the family home built by her parents in 1904. She attended Parkdale public schools. When she was a baby, her future husband, William Files who was several years older than she, offered her father a bale of cotton for her. John Henry Caldwell often remarked that he should have taken William up on his offer since he wound up getting her free. The Fileses lived next door to the Caldwells so she had a very short move when she married.

Genealogy has long been her consuming hobby and she has spent thousands of hours researching the Caldwell lineage as well as the many collateral lines tied to it. The basis for this book is the material

that she collected over a period of 25 years.

She has been active in many hereditary and patriotic organizations ...the Daughters of the American Revolution, Colonel Francis Vivian Brookings Chapter, Hamburg, Arkansas; the Daughters of the Colonial Wars; the Daughters of 1812; the Colonial Dames of the XVII Century; the Huguenot Society; Arkansas Branch, Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims; the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and the Magna Charta Dames.

She is a member of the Parkdale United Methodist Church and was christened there on 10 January 1927. She is currently church treasurer, having served several terms in that office and is active in raising funds for the support of the church.

Her husband, William Thomas Files, was born on 20 August 1910 at Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas, the son of William Thomas Files and Johnnie Morris. He attended the Parkdale public schools, Columbia Military Academy, Columbia, Tennessee and Washington and Lee University in Saint Louis, Missouri and Arkansas State Teachers College in Conway, Arkansas. He was an active member of the Parkdale United Methodist Church, supporting it faithfully with his presence and money.

At one time he operated a movie theater in Parkdale. He owned and operated a John Deere Implement Dealership and a Massey Ferguson dealership there. In addition to his business pursuits he operated the Files family farm northeast of Parkdale after his father died.

He was a member of the Arkansas Society, Sons of the American Revolution on his descent from Thomas Hadley, a Revolutionary War Soldier.

He died on 25 August 1980 at the Chicot Memorial Hospital, Lake Village, Arkansas and is buried in the Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Ark.

F. 58 JOHN HENRY CALDWELL, JR. (Son of John Henry Caldwell E.24)
b. 28 January 1922, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d. 12 March 1985,
buried: Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Ashley Co., Ark.
m.(1). To: Lucille Spurlock. (No Ch)
(2). 16 May 1954, Greenville, Washington County, MS.
To: Johnnie Mae Tackett Brown.
Their Children: G.122.

He was born, reared and attended public school in Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas. Like his brothers and sisters, he grew up working in the family general store and on the family farm. Prior to World War II he attended Arkansas A. & M. College in Monticello, Arkansas and worked for a brief time in a defense plant in California.

He served in the United States Army during World War II receiving his basic training at Paris, Texas. His unit landed in Normandy, France a few days D-Day - the 6th of June, 1944 and was engaged in the bitter struggle for the Cherbourg Peninsula. He saw action at Brest, St. George d' elle and the Battle of the Bulge. During the bitter cold of the winter of 1944 in the Ardennes Forest he suffered frostbite which bothered him the remainder of his life. He wrote to the author on many occasions during

this time and described graphically the many horrors of war he encountered as second scout of his infantry platoon. He was discharged with the rank of Corporal at the end of the war.

After returning home, he worked for his father and later entered Draughons School of Electronics in Little Rock where he learned the repair of radios. His used this skill as an adjunct to his work in the Caldwell general store in Parkdale. With the advent of television he resumed his studies and became a skilled TV serviceman.

For a few years after his marriage to Lucille Spurlock he lived in Little Rock, Arkansas where he was employed by the Arkansas Democrat newspaper as an area manager. He and Lucille were divorced while living in Little Rock and he shortly thereafter returned to Parkdale to work for his father.

In 1954/55 he, along with his brothers, John Maurice "Mollie", John Paul "Pete" and his nephew, William W. "Bill" Caldwell bought the mercantile business from John Henry Caldwell. They leased the farm from him and sub-leased it to various tenants. About this time J. H. bought a movie theater from his cousin, Donnie Bell Land (F.40) in Wilmot and he and his wife, Johnnie Mae, operated it for several years. Sometime during this period the partners bought a small grocery from the Land's next to the theater. He operated this store until he moved to Little Rock in the early 1960's.

While living in Little Rock he was employed by the Westinghouse Corporation at its plant there as maintenance supervisor. Later he opened his own electronic service business and worked in that field until his retirement.

J. H. was a born "fixer" and had a natural talent for repairing anything that was broken. He loved to tinker with anything mechanical to find out what made them "tick." All of his friends and relatives grew to rely on him to take care of any little problem which might arise with their modern but exasperating conveniences.

He was a lifelong Methodist and attended the Methodist Church throughout his life.

His second wife, Johnnie Mae, was born 11 May 1921 at Eudora, Chicot County, AR, the daughter of Frank Tackett and Alma Snyder Tackett. She attended schools at Parkdale and Eudora, Arkansas. She was a bookkeeper and retired from Arkansas Baptist Hospital in Little Rock. Her first husband was A. K. Brown by whom she had two sons, Kenneth, born 16 October 1942 at San Rafael, California. He married on 4 September 1964, Joan Dardenne at Wabaseka, Arkansas. She is the daughter of Edward Dardenne and Lois Sims Dardenne. They have three daughters; Jennifer, Stephanie and Amy. Kenneth is a petroleum engineer. Steven Brown was born 13 June 1944 at Oxnard, California, he married first, Donna Mills and they had one daughter, Tasha. He married second, Kathy Sparkman on 18 July 1981 at Little Rock, Arkansas. He is a painting contractor in Little Rock.

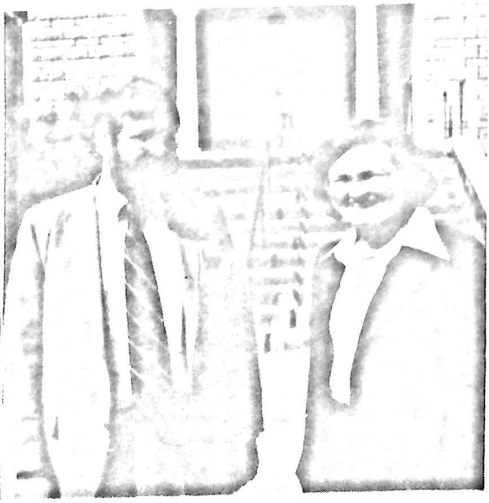
THE FILESES

Johnnie Caldwell Files F.57 and her husband William Thomas Files. She is the daughter of E.24., John Henry Caldwell.

PAULA FILES

G.120, daughter of F.57 Johnnie Caldwell Files and William Thomas Files.

Seen above are Scott Flowers, Susanne Files Flowers, G.121 and her son Mark William Twentey, H.175.



Shown in front of the Parkdale Methodist Church are: Nicholas Eugene Silitch and his wife Mary Frances Files Silitch, G.119.

F. 59 CHARLES EDWARD CALDWELL (Son of Edward A. Caldwell E.26)
b. 13 March 1912, Parkdale, Ashley County, AR
d.
m. (1) 20 June 1939, Honolulu, Hawaii.
To: Alice Zieglar. (no children).
m. (2) 03 November 1956, Las Vegas, Nevada
To: Eva Olsons. (no children).
m. (3). 22 December 1969, Little Rock, Pulaski Co., AR.
To: Ruby Gross (no children).

He was reared on his father's farm west of Parkdale in Ashley County, Arkansas and was educated in the Parkdale Public schools. He served in the United States Army from 1931 to 1939. From 1939 to 1946 he worked as a machinist in the ship building industry in California. He lived in Arizona and California prior to returning to Arkansas after retirement in the 1960's.

Address (1986): 13901 Debbie Lane, Mabelvale, AR 72103

F. 60 ERMA ELLEN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Edward A. Caldwell E.26)
b. 29 August 1913, Parkdale, Ashley County, AR.
d.
m. 25 May 1929, Parkdale, Ashley County, AR.
To: Calvin Howie.
Their Children: G.123, G.124, G.125.

She grew up on her father's farm west of Parkdale in Ashley County, Arkansas and attended the Parkdale Public schools.

Her mother died when she was quite young and her father married Berdie Raybon in 1922 when she was nine years old.

Her husband, Calvin Howie, was born at Mist, Ashley County, Arkansas, on the old Howie Place on 2 September 1906. He died on 26 February 1976.

She and Calvin owned a farm in the hills between Parkdale and Hamburg, Arkansas where, in addition to farming, they raised hogs and for many years made a high quality fresh and smoked sausage which was much in demand throughout the county.

Erma continued to live on the somewhat isolated farm for several years after the death of her husband, raising hogs and selling the high quality sausages for which she and Calvin were famous.

Her strength and independent spirit were exemplified by her determination in living alone in the isolation of the tall pine woods until in 1985 when she moved to Hammond, Louisiana to live with her daughter Carolyn Howie Clark.

Address (1986): 1403 Adam Road, Hammond, Louisiana 70401

F. 61 JAMES HENRY CALDWELL (Son of Edward Andrew Caldwell E.26)
b. 05 January 1915, Parkdale, Ashley County, AR.
d. 27 November 1973, Sun Valley, California.
bur: 01 December 1973, North Hollywood, California.
m. 11 December 1935, Hamburg, Ashley County, AR.
To: Myrtis Huffman.
Their Children: G.126, G.127, G.128, G.129.

James was born and raised on the family farm west of Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas and grew up working on his father's farm with his brothers and sisters, He attended public schools in Parkdale.

After his marriage in 1935 and prior to World War II he moved to California where he was a plaster contractor.

His wife, Myrtis Huffman, was born on 12 October 1916, the daughter of W. E. and Hattie Huffman.

James and Myrtis were members of the First Baptist Church in Sun Valley, California. His widow lives (1986) in Sunnyvale, California.

Address (1986): 7822 Fair Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 91352.

F. 62 JOSEPH LEMUEL CALDWELL (Son of Edward Andrew Caldwell E.26)
b. 05 September 1916, Parkdale, Ashley County, AR.
d.
m. 04 September 1938, Van Nuys, CA.
To: Mildred B. Calkins. (2). Dorothy Shivers, 13 July 1985.
Their Children: G.130, G.131.

He grew up on his father's farm west of Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas and attended public school at Parkdale. His wife was the daughter of Victor Edward Calkins and his wife Eunice Wall. She was born on October 4, 1916 at Topeka, Kansas and died in 1972. J. L. Caldwell has his own plastering business. On July 13, 1985 he married Dorothy Shivers.

F. 63 CATHERINE CALDWELL (dgtr of Edward Andrew Caldwell E.26)
b. 20 January 1920, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d. 19 ,
m. 30 June 1937,
To: Winfred Adams.
Their Children: G.132, G.133.

F. 64 BOBBY OLIVER CALDWELL (son of Edward Andrew Caldwell E.26)
b. 23 February 1926, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d.
m. Never married.

Bobby had infantile paralysis at a very early age and was badly crippled physically as a result. He had difficulty talking plainly and walked with a decided limp. His mind was, however, sharp and he worked for many years as a clerk in his uncle John Henry Caldwell's store. In 1987 he was living in a nursing home in Hamburg, Arkansas.

F. 65 CARL RAYBON CALDWELL (son of Edward A. Caldwell E.26)
b. 08 April 1939, Monticello, Drew, AR.
d.
m. 12 March 1959, Bastrop, Morehouse, LA.
To: Gaye Arthur.
Their Children: G.134, G.135.

He was reared and attended public schools in Parkdale, Arkansas. In the late 1950s he went to work for International Paper Company in Pine Bluff, Arkansas and is currently employed there (1987). He owns a farm near Rison, Arkansas where he raises cattle. His wife was born on 28 April 1941 at Bastrop, Louisiana, the daughter of Alfred Arthur and his wife Ruth McGee. Carl and Gaye are members of the Methodist Church.

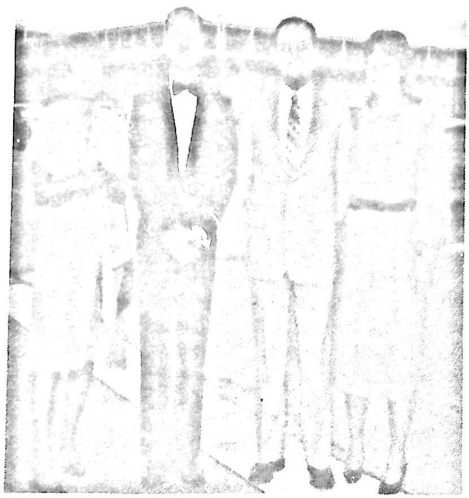
F. 66 LEMUEL JOSEPH CALDWELL, III (son of Lemuel J. Caldwell E.27)
b. 1912, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d. November 1975, Oklahoma.
m. (1).
To: _____
m. (2).
To: Ella _____
Children: None.

"Doc" Caldwell was a groceryman and butcher for most of his life, working for his father in his store in Drumwright, Oklahoma and for his uncle John Henry Caldwell in Parkdale, Arkansas. For a time he was employed by Powell Brothers Grocery in West Monroe, Louisiana. He was a talented sign painter and wrote a beautiful hand.

MR. & MRS. WILLIAM R. CALDWELL

William Raleigh Caldwell, Jr. F.75, the son of William Raleigh Caldwell E.37 was born near Athens, Henderson County, Texas on 14 November 1911. He married Carrie Jean Dean on 16 October 1938 at Athens, Texas. She was born on 16 February 1919 near Athens. She is the daughter of William Henry Dean and his wife Oatis Myrtle Horton. William Raleigh Caldwell is from the nursery business.

JOHN THOMAS CALDWELL



In the photograph to the left (L. to R.) are Mrs. John Thomas Caldwell, Roy Alan Caldwell H.210, John Thomas Caldwell G.142 and Susan Darlene Caldwell H.211. John Thomas is a Nuclear Physicist, Roy Alan is a 1985 graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy and Susan Darlene is a student in college in Montana.

John Thomas and his wife Elizabeth live in Los Alamos, New Mexico and he travels extensively inspecting disposal sites for nuclear wastes,

F. 67 JACK LEWIS CALDWELL (Son of Lemuel J. Caldwell Jr. E.27)
b. 12 December 1914, Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas.
d. 1960,
m. (1). ,
To: Elena Handy.
m. (2). ,
To: Mildred Edwards.
Their Children: G.136, G.137, G.138.

F. 68 TOM JOE CALDWELL (Son of Lemuel Jos. Caldwell Jr. E.27)
b. 6 February 1923, Drumwrigth, Creek Co., Oklahoma.
d.
m. 12 September 1943, Drumwright, Creek Co., OK.
To: Margaret Jean Phyfe.
Their Children: G.139.

Tom Joe Caldwell was born and raised in Drumwright and attended grammar and high school there. He attended Oklahoma State University at Stillwater, Oklahoma and the University of Oklahoma at Norman, where he received his B.L.S and M.L.S. degrees. He earned his degrees after his retirement from the grocery business.

He served in the United States Army during World War II... attending Officers Candidate School in 1943 at Fort Belvoir, Virginia where in August he was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the Corps of Engineers. Susequently, he was stationed at Camp Sutton, North Carolina. From January 1944 to December 1945 he served in China in the China-Burma Theater. In 1946 he was discharged with the rank of Captain.

After the war he returned to Drumwright where from 1946 to 1947 he operated a photographic studio. In 1947 he entered the grocery business and operated the Nuway Grocery in Drumwright until his retirement in 1978.

He has been an active member of the Methodist Church all his life and has taught adult Sunday School classes much of his adult life.

Active in civic affairs and service clubs - he is a 30 year member of the Lions Club and Past President of the Drumwright Lions Club; Past Master of the Drumwright Lodge #468, F. &. A. M.; Past President, Lions Internation Stamp Club and Bulletin Editor; Longtime member of the Chamber of Commerce; the American Legion; served for 15 years on the hospital board of trustees and is presently the Treasurer of the Drumwright School Board. In 1975 he received the Outstanding Citizen Award.

Tom Joe enjoys travelling and has visited Hawaii, Mexico, the Virgin Islands, Bahamas, Jamaica, Japan, Korea, Hong Kong, England, France, Switzerland, Italy, Greece, Egypt and Israel.

F. 69 BOBBY OLIVER CALDWELL (Son of Lemuel J. Caldwell E.27)
b. 23 June 1924, Drumwright, Creek County, OK.
d. 25 August 1925, Drumwright, Creek County, OK.
bur: Drumwright South Cemetery, Drumwright, OK.

F. 70 JOHN BURNS CALDWELL (Son of William R. Caldwell E.37)
b. 23 September 1894, Athens, Henderson, TX.
d. 29 September 1917, San Antonio, Bexar, TX.
bur: Shelby Chapel Cemetery, Henderson Co., TX.

He died at Camp Travis, San Antonio, Texas while serving in the United States Army during World War I.

F. 71 THOMAS ALLEN CALDWELL (Son of William R. Caldwell E.37)
b. 18 September 1896, Athens, Henderson, TX.
d. 31 March 1968, Athens, Henderson, TX.
m. 22 March 1951, Athens, Henderson, TX.
To: Katy Brown.
Their Children:

He was a farmer and rancher, a member of the Presbyterian church and resided in the Shelby Chapel community all of his life.

F. 72 LUCY JOANNA CALDWELL (Dgtr of William R. Caldwell E.37)
b. 24 June 1898, Athens, Henderson, TX.
d. 30 August 1967, Brenham, TX.
m. 06 May 1925, Dallas, TX.
To: George Milton Adams.
Their Children:

F. 73 ROYALL HUTCHINGS CALDWELL (Son of William R. Caldwell E.37)
b. 26 August 1903, Athens, Henderson County, TX.
d.
m. 26 December 1926, Athens, Henderson Co., TX.
To: Mary Cornie Hallum.
Their Children: G.140, G.141, G.142.

He is a retired cotton, corn and vegetable farmer. His wife, Mary, was born on 26 November 1906 at Athens, Texas, the daughter of Robert Porter Hallum and his wife Maud Pearl Browning. They are members of the Presbyterian Church in La Feria, Texas.

Address (1986): Box 6, La Feria, Texas 78559.

F. 74 LAURA BELL CALDWELL (Dgtr of William R. Caldwell E.37)
b. 16 September 1905, Athens, Henderson County, TX.
d. 21 March 1957, Dallas, TX.
m. 1930,
To: _____Fowler.
Their Children:

F. 75 WILLIAM RALEIGH CALDWELL, Jr. (Son of William R. Caldwell E.37)
b. 14 November 1911, Athens, Henderson Co., TX.
d.
m. 16 October 1938, Athens, Henderson County, TX.
To: Carrie Jean Dean.
Their Children: G.143, G.144.

He is a retired nurseryman. His wife, Carrie Jean, was born near Athens, Texas on 16 February 1919, the daughter of William Henry Dean and his wife Oatis Myrtle Horton. She is a retired title searcher and abstracter. They are members of the Presbyterian Church.

Address (1986): Route 3, Box 3324, Athens, Texas 75751.

F. 76 FRANK ELLIS (Son of Jeanette Caldwell E.64)
b. ,
d. , buried: Brighton Cemetery.
m. Never married.

According to Mary Lou Whelchel he died in his teens.

F. 77 CHARLES ELLIS (Son of Jeanette Caldwell E.64)
b. ,
d. , Buried: Brighton Cemetery.
m. Never married.

Died in his teens (Whelchel).

F. 78 MARY ELLIS (Dgtr of Jeanette Caldwell E.64)
b. ,
d. , Buried: Brighton Cemetery.
m. Never married.

Died of burns at the age of 3 or 4 (Whelchel).

F. 79 WALTER CALDWELL ELLIS (Son of Jeanette Caldwell E.64)
b. 26 December 1915,
d. 14 December 1954,
buried: Murfreesboro, Tennessee.
m. , Fort Worth, Texas.
To: Frances Edwards.
Their Children: Judith Ellis and Joanne Ellis.

He died of "Brights" disease. Judith Ellis married Dennis Hewlett and lived in Fort Worth, Texas (1969). They had four children: Kenneth (1959), twin girls, Kimberly Gail and Belinda (1961), and Marsha LeAnn (1962). Joanne married Walter Baltimore in Murfreesboro, Tennessee and lives there (1969). They were married on 7 September 1964.

F. 80 FRANK HAMMOND ELLIS (Son of Jeanette Caldwell E.64)
b. 23 June 1921, Bessemer, Alabama.
d. ,
m. 1945, Pensacola, Florida.
To: Jeanette Smith.
Their Children: Linda Sue Ellis and Cynthia Ann Ellis.

He is a twin of Edwin Norvelle Ellis (F.76). Linda Sue Ellis was born on 1 September 1947. Cynthia Ann Ellis was born in November 1957.

F.81 EDWIN NORVELLE ELLIS (son of Jeanette Caldwell E.64)
b. 23 June 1921, Bessemer, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 05 December 1946, Fort Worth, TX.
To: Inez Riddle.
Their Children: Rodney Wayne Ellis & Stefani Gail Ellis.

Their son Rodney Wayne Ellis was born 21 February 1948 in Fort Worth, Texas. Stefani Gail Ellis was born 18 July 1949 in Birmingham, Alabama.

F.82 WILLIAM SAXON CALDWELL (son of Joseph N. Caldwell E.66)
b. 02 October 1927, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d. 05 August 1983, Milledgeville, GA.
m. (1).
To: Martha A. Buhakka.
Their Children: G.145.
m. (2). 30 June 1968, Columbus, GA.
To: Madye Riley. (no children).

According to the Whelchel manuscript his first wife was from Oregon and died 8 October 1961 and is buried at Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery, San Diego, CA.

His second wife was born 10 September 1915 in Dale County, AL, the daughter of Ruben Ernest Riley and his wife Minnie Belle Brannon.

He was attending Gulf Coast Military Academy at Gulfport, MS in 194 -1945 when the author was there. I did not know he was a relative at t time. He is also H.21 the son of G.12.

F.83 JOSEPH NORVELLE CALDWELL (son of Joseph N. Caldwell E.66)
b. 03 December 1928, Goodwater, Coosa, AL.
d. 05 September 1981, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
m. 17 September 1960, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Betty Lou Carlton Fulton.
Their Children: G.146.

His wife was born 27 July 1933 at Goodwater, AL, the daughter of Timmons Jefferson Carlton and his wife Nettie Pearl Farris.

F.84 MARY ALICE CALDWELL (dgtr of Joseph N. Caldwell E.66)
b. 12 March 1931, Goodwater, Coosa, AL.
d. 27 May 1986, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
m. 09 June 1950, Goodwater, Coosa, AL.
To: Earl Calvin Goodwin.
Their Children: G.147, G.148, G.149.

Her husband was born 21 July 1928 in Sylacauga, AL, the son of Otis Vaster Goodwin and his wife Mary Etta Johnson.

Address (1987): Earl C. Goodwin, P.O. Box 283, Alexander City, AL 35010.

F. 97 BARBARA KAY BECK (Dgtr of Willie Hunter Caldwell E.74)
b. 23 March 1944, Birmingham, Alabama.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F. 98 CONNIE SIMMONS (Dgtr of Dewie Lucille Caldwell E.75)
b. 26 June 1941,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F. 99 JACQUELINE SIMMONS (Dgtr of Dewie Lucille Caldwell E.75)
b. 26 July 1942,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F. 100 JOHN PAUL SIMMONS (Son of Dewie Lucille Caldwell E.75)
b. 31 October 1951,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F. 101 JUSTIN CALDWELL (Son of Charlie Harris Caldwell E.76)
b. after 1925, Caldwell Parish, Louisiana.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F. 102 OTHO CALDWELL (Son of Joseph Columbus Caldwell E.77)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He was reportedly badly wounded at the Bay of Pigs invasion of Cuba.

F.103 J. O. CALDWELL (Son of Joseph C. Caldwell E.77)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.103a CITTIE MARIE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Joseph C. Caldwell E.77)

F.104 NANCY LOUISE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Joseph C. Caldwell E.77)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.105 HULEN LITTLE (Son of Alice Virginia Caldwell E.78)
b. ca 1912,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.106 EMMA LOU LITTLE (Dgtr of Alice Virginia Caldwell E.78
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.107 BONNIE JEAN LITTLE (Dgtr of Alice V. Caldwell E.78)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.107a EFFIE LITTLE (Dgtr of Alice Virginia Caldwell E.78)
b.
d.
m.
To: Adrian Scott.
Their Children:

F.108 JAMES LeROY CALDWELL (Son of James Luther Caldwell E.81)
b. 13 February 1931, Winnsboro, LA.
d.
m. 19 December 1964, Santa Fe, NM.
To: Helen Foltz.
Their Children: G.170.

He was raised in Delhi, LA, received his B.S. from Louisiana Tech at Ruston, LA in 1951, his MBA from Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, in 1953 and his Ph.D. from LSU in 1963. From 1955 to 1958 he was an instructor at LSU, Assistant, Associate and Professor at Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA, from 1958 to 1975. He has been Professor of Finance at Northeast Louisiana University, Monroe, LA, from 1975 to 1986. He is a member of the Financial Management Association and Theta Xi Fraternity. Since 1978 he has taught four summers at Shue Yan College, Hong Kong, working with an MBA program there. He has traveled extensively in Asia, and especially in China. He served in the United States Army from 1953 to 1955. In 19 he was named Outstanding Professor at Northeast Louisiana University.

His wife, Helen Foltz Caldwell, was born on 17 September 1938 at Wichita, KS, the daughter of M. Huston Foltz and his wife Hollie Teare.

They are members of the Presbyterian Church.

Address (1986): 2106 Redwood Drive, Monroe, LA 71201.

F.109 OMAR BRADLEY (Son of Lillie Viola Caldwell E.82)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.110 HELEN BRADLEY (Dgtr of Lillie Viola Caldwell E.82)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.111 GARLAND BRADLEY (Son of Lillie Viola Caldwell E.82)
b.
d. at about the age of 2.

F.112 JOY CALDWELL (Dgtr of Victor Allen Caldwell E.85)
b.
d.
m.
To: _____ Scott.
Their Children:

F.113 BILLY CALDWELL (Son of Victor Allen Caldwell E.85)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.114 MARY OPAL CALDWELL (Dgtr of Victor Allen Caldwell E.85)
b.
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m.
To: Chuck Gordy.
Their Children:

Lives in Jackson, Mississippi (1985).

F.115 ELOISE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Ollie Morris Caldwell E.86)
b.
d.
m.
To: Adrian Scott.
Their Children:

His first wife was Effie Little daughter of Alice Caldwell E.78

F.116 MARGIE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Ollie Morris Caldwell E.86)
b.
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m.
To: _____Dozier.
Their Children:

F.117 JAMES LYNN CALDWELL (Son of Wilma Otis Caldwell E.87)
b. 28 October 1929,
d.
m.
To: Barbara Johnson.
Their Children:

Lives in New York City (1985).

F.118 EDGAR MELVIN CALDWELL (Son of Edgar Mossatt Caldwell E.88)
b. 19 October 1930, Wisner, LA.
d.
m. 21 November 1952, Greenville, MS.
To: Glenrose Jennings.
Their Children: Gary Gene, Laurie Brook, Rebeccah Lynn

His wife is the daughter of Herbert B. Jennings and his wife Wynona Marie and was born at Normangee, TX. In 1987 they lived in Gladewater, TX.

F.119 RITA GAY CALDWELL (Dgtr of Edgar Mossatt Caldwell E.88)
b. 23 July 1932, Jena, LA.
d.
m. 28 November 1952, Delhi, LA.
To: John N. Lewis.
Their Children: Don Walter, Alison Elaine, Todd Murray.

Her husband was born at Delhi, LA, the son of James W. Lewis and his wife Vera Pearl Lewis. In 1987 they lived in Plymouth, NC.

F.120 MELBA RUTH CALDWELL (Dgtr of Edgar Mossatt Caldwell
b. 14 January 1934, Delhi, LA. E.88)
d.
m. 30 July 1958, Muleshoe, TX.
To: Dr. J. P. Jones.
Their Children: Paula Ruth, John Paul III, Sandra Ann.

Her husband was born, 29 December 1933 at Anton, TX, the son of John Paul and Mable Taylor Jones.

F.121 MARY LOUISE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Otho Herbert Caldwell
b. E.90)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.122 VIRGINIA ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Otho Herbert Caldwel
b. E.90
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

F.123 CLYDE HAROLD CLARK, JR. (Son of Lula Mae Caldwell E.92)
b. 28 October 1933, Tallulah, Madison Parish, LA.
d.
m. 23 October 1958, St. Joseph, Tensas Parish, LA.
To: Nancy Lee Buffalo, b. 4 Nov. 1933, Little Rock, AR
d/o Larry Lee Buffalo, Jr & Julia Evelyn Leeth.
Their Children: none.

He is a school supervisor and she is a secretary. They are members of the Episcopal Church. He received his B.S. degree in physical education from Louisiana College in 1956, his MEd from Northeast Louisiana State University in 1964. He is (1986) Parish Supervisor of transportation, Vocational Education and maintenance.

Nancy Lee Buffalo Clark received her BSE in Home Economics at the University of Central Arkansas and her MS in Education at Louisiana State University in 1971. She worked as a Home Service Adviser

for a utility company, Extension Home Economist, Home Demonstration Agent and 4-H agent for 19 years and Home Economics teacher, parttime secretary for 10 years. She is a member of the Vicksburg Chapter #77, United Daughters of the Confederacy, served as President from 1982-1984 and Historian of the Mississippi Division, 1984-1986. She is a member of Bruin-Vidal Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Treasurer 1983-1986 and Registrar, 1986-1989. She has served as Treasurer of Christ Episcopal Church and Secretary of Church Women.

Address (1986): P.O. Box 286, St. Joseph, LA 71366

F.124 JERRY FOREST CLARK (Son of Lula Mae Caldwell E.92)
b. 04 April 1938, Waterproof, Tensas Parish, LA
d.
m. 16 September 1960, Ruston, Lincoln Parish, LA.
To: Sybil Gale LaPlue. (divorced 1985).
Their Children:
m. (2). August 1986.
To: Mrs. Nancy Downing.

He teaches Physical Education at Oral Roberts University in Tulsa, Oklahoma. His first wife, Sybil Gale LaPlue was born 13 December 1940 in Louisiana, the daughter of Dale and Sybil LaPlue.

Address (1986): 6725 East 52nd Street, Tulsa, OK 74145.

F.125 DORIS ELAINE CLARK (Dgtr of Lula Mae Caldwell E.92)
b. 25 December 1943, Tallulah, Madison Parish, LA.
d.
m. 20 July 1968, Newellton, Tensas Parish, LA.
To: Billy Norman Querrey.
Their Children:

She is a school teacher. Her husband, Billy N. Querrey,was born 08 September 1942 at Argenta, Illinois, the son of William Henry Querrey and his wife Ellen Burks Black. He is a farmer and former school math teacher.

Address (1986): 903 LaSalle Street, Tallulah, LA 71282

F.126 RALPH LYNNE LUDKE (Son of Mary Opal Caldwell E.93)
b.
d.
m.
To: Alpha Gene Fife.
Their Children:

F.127 LARRY LUDKE (Son of Mary Opal Caldwell E.93)
b.
d.
m. (1) (2)
To: To:
Their Children:

CLYDE HAROLD CLARK F.123

He is the son of the late Lula Mae Caldwell Clark E.92 and Clyde Harold Clark, Sr. He was born in Tallulah, Louisiana on 28 October 1933. He is a member of Christ Episcopal Church in Saint Joseph, Louisiana. He was a football coach and science teacher for 17 years, elementary school pricipal for 8 years and high school principal for 2 years.

He received his BS in Physical Education from Louisiana College in 1956, his masters degree in education at Northeast Louisiana University in 1

NANCY LEE BUFFALO CLARK

Nancy is the wife of Clyde H. Clark, F.123. She was born in Little Rock, Arkansas on 04 November 1933, the daughter of Larry L. Buffalo and his wife Julia Evelyn Leeth. She is a member of Christ Episcopal Church in Saint Joseph, LA. She received her BSE degree at the University of Central Arkansas and her MS at Louisiana State University in 1971.

G. 1 EDGAR DRAYTON CALDWELL, JR. (son of Edgar Drayton
b. 16 September 1913, Grasmere, AL. Caldwell F.8)
d. 26 February 1958, Sylacauga, Talladega, Alabama.
m. 9 March 1935, Talladega, Talladega Co., Alabama.
To: Onzelle Vick.
Their Children: H.1, H.2.

He and his wife were members of the Baptist Church in Sylacauga, Alabama. His wife was born on 9 August 1912 in Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, the daughter of Martin Vick and Florence Moore.

During his working years he was employed at Avondale Mills in Sylacauga and Beaunit Mills in Childersburg, Alabama.

She is a retired Licensed Practical Nurse from the Sylacauga Nursing Home.

G. 2 RUTH EDNA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Edgar Drayton Caldwell
b. 15 January 1915, Grasmere, Alabama. F.8)
d.
m. 18 November 1934, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Rufus Watson Campbell.
Their Children: H.3, H.4, H.5.

They are members of the Calvary Baptist Church in New Orleans, Louisiana.

His is the son of Larkin Monroe Campbell and Emma Summerall and was born in Clark County, Mississippi on 30 June 1910.

(1986) Mrs. Edna C. Campbell, 104 Shirley, Belle Chasse, LA.

G. 3 ARNOLD EUGENE CALDWELL (Son of Edgar Drayton Caldwell
b. 1 April 1917, Grasmere, Talladega, AL. F.8)
d.
m. 7 November 1942, Bessemer, Jefferson Co., AL.
To: Wynelle Audrey Gunnells.
Their Children: H.6, H.7.

They are members of the 1st Baptist Church in Montgomery, AL. She was born on 16 November 1919 at Bessemer, Jefferson Co., AL, the daughter of L. B. Gunnells and Clarice Shannon.

He received his B.S. degree from Jacksonville University, Jacksonville, Alabama where he was a star basketball player. He was a Captain in the United States Army during World War II, serving in the Mediterranean Theatre. He was awarded the Combat Infantry Badge, the Purple Heart with cluster and Bronze Star.

He retired as a rehabilitation therapist at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Montgomery, Alabama.

Wynelle worked for the State of Alabama and the Federal Government as a stenographer.

G. 4 MIRIAM VIRGINIA CALDWELL (dgtr of Edgar D. Caldwell
b. 30 May 1920, Lanier, Grasmere Comm., AL. F.8)
d. 7 October 1970, Lockhart, Caldwell Co., Texas.
Bur: 9 October 1970, Jeffery Cemetery, McMahan, Texas.
m. 2 June 1945, Leghorn, Italy.
To: Jesse Keeton Williams.
Their Children: H.8, H.9.

Both Jesse and Miriam were in the service during World War II in Italy. She was a 1st Lieutenant in the Army Nurse Corps and he was a Staff Sergeant in the 36th Division.

He was the son of Lee Pope Williams and Octavia _____(?). Octavia came by wagon train from Arkansas to Texas and was an orphan - her parents were killed. He was born on 5 January 1920 in Caldwell County, Texas.

Miriam was a member of the Baptist Church.

(1986) Son: Ralph K. Williams, Creedmoor Rural Station, Austin, Texas 78747.

G. 5 ELLIE JIM CALDWELL (dgtr of Edgar D. Caldwell F.8)
b. 5 June 1922, Lanier Community, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 9 November 1941, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
To: Roy J. Brown.
Their Children: H.10, H.11.

They are members of the Baptist Church. Ellie Jim is retired from the Pine Wood Acres School, Miami, Fl where she worked as a secretary.

Roy was born on 23 May 1919 at Newnan, Coweta County, GA, the son of J. B. Brown and Ada M. Glosson.

He retired from the Miami Water and Sewage Department where her was a drag line operator.

(1986) Ellie Jim Brown, 3648 S. E. 31st Terrace, Ocalla, Florida 32671.

G. 6 DORRIS HELEN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Edgar D. Caldwell F.8)
b. 26 June 1925, Lanier-Grasmere, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 10 October 1947, Jackson, Hinds County, MS.
To: Sam Nix.
Their Children: H.12, H.13.

She is a member of the Baptist Church at Jackson, Mississippi. Sam Nix was born on 22 October 1922 in Amite County, Mississippi, the son of Sam Nix and Dixie Reynolds.

(1986) Doris C. Nix, 3526 N. Hines, Jackson, MS 39212.

G. 7 WILLIAM BRADFORD CALDWELL (Son of Easley L. Caldwell F.9)
b. 5 July 1910, Plantersville, Talladega Co., AL.
d. 9 May 1964, Talladega, Talladega Co., Alabama.
bur: 10 May 1964, Hepzibah Cemetery, Talladega Co., AL.
m. 26 January 1935, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
To: Melba Carlton Selman.
Their Children: H.14.

William Bradford Caldwell was a road construction contractor and heavy equipment company operator. He was elected as County Road Commissioner in Talladega County, Alabama several times.

His wife, Melba, was born on 17 April 1906, the daughter of Thomas Lee Selman and Sallie Lou Sims. She is a member of the Methodist Church and was a teacher.

G. 8 HOWARD MARION CALDWELL (Son of Easley L. Caldwell F.9)
b. 17 January 1912, Plantersville, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 26 December 1934, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
To: Stella Mavis Barton.
Their Children: none.

They belong to the First Baptist Church in Talladega, Alabama. His wife, Stella, was born on 1 June 1916 in Renfroe, Talladega County, Alabama, the daughter of James Albon Barton and Stella Elizabeth Hayes. (1986) Howard M. Caldwell, Rt. 1, New Shocco Road, Talladega, Alabama 35160.

G. 9 JAMES EVERETT CALDWELL (Son of Easley L. Caldwell F.9)
b. 27 February 1914, Plantersville, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 8 October 1931, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
To: Clarice Lucille Bates.
Their Children: H.15, H.16.

They belong to the First Baptist Church in Childersburg, Alabama.

His wife, Clarice, was born on 18 December 1914 in Childersburg, Alabama, the daughter of William Luther Bates and Ernestine Lessor.

(1986) James E. Caldwell, 401 Coosa Pines Drive, Childersburg, Alabama 35004.

G. 10 EASLEY LAFAYETTE CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Easley L. Caldwell F.9)
b. 27 December 1916,
d. 6 July 1924,
bur:
m. Never married.

G. 11 GRAHAM GERALD CALDWELL (Son of Easley L. Caldwell F.9)
b. 5 November 1920, Grasmere, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 8 April 1946, Talladega, Alabama.
To: Sara Fancher.
Their Children: H.17, H.18, H.19, H.20.

They are members of the Baptist Church in Alpine, Talladega County, Alabama.

Graham is a heavy equipment operator and Sara is a Postal Clerk at Alpine, Alabama.

She is the daughter of Clarence M. Fancher and Stella Frederick, born 21 May 1925 at Brierfield, Bibb County, Alabama.

(1986) Mrs. Graham Caldwell, Rt.2, Alpine, Alabama 35014.

G. 12 ANNIE PAULINE SAXON (Dgtr of Dollie Oleta Caldwell F.10)
b. 29 November 1906, Clay County, Alabama.
d. 28 June 1963,
bur: , Goodwater, Alabama.
m. (1). (2).
To: Joseph Norvelle Caldwell.(2). Earl Robinson. (NoCh)
Their Children: H.21, H.22, H.23.

Her husband, Joseph Norvelle Caldwell (E.43) was her cousin, he was born 24 December 1894 at Carlisle, Kentucky, the son of William Sandy Caldwell (D.60) and Alice Norvelle.

Their children will also carry the identification numbers, F.77, F.78, F.79.

G. 13 BARBARA ERCILE SAXON (Dgtr of Dollie Oleta Caldwell F.10)
b. 11 October 1908, Grasmere, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
bur:
m.
To: Reginald Newberry.
Their Children:

G. 14 WILLIAM CALDWELL SAXON (Son of Dollie O. Caldwell F.10)
b. 15 August 1910, Grasmere, Talladega Co., AL.
d. 28 December 1952,,
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m. Never married.

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Their Children:

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b. 15 August 1910, Grasmere, Talladega Co., AL.
d. 28 December 1952,,
Bur:
m. Never married.

G. 15 KATHRYN SAXON (Dgtr of Dollie Oleta Caldwell F.10)
b. 12 May 1912,
d.
bur:
m.
To: Ormond Ward.
Their Children: H.24.

G. 16 HENRY PIERCE SAXON (son of Dollie O. Caldwell F.10)
b. 27 January 1914, Grasmere, Talladega Co., AL.
d. 13 October 1983, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
bur: 15 October 1983, Rockford, Coosa Co., AL.
m. 18 June 1938, Sylacauga, Talladega County, AL.
To: Marine Murchison.
Their Children: H.25, H.26.

They were members of the First Baptist Church, Sylacauga, Alabama.

He worked in a service station owned by his brother-in-law Joseph Norvelle Caldwell in Goodwater, Alabama. He operated his own service station and restaurant in Goodwater. He was a lumber man in Rockford and retired from Bama Wood, Inc. as Field Representative. He served one term as Sheriff of Coosa County.

His wife, Marine, a retired school teacher, was born on 29 June 1916 at Rockford, Coosa County, Alabama, the daughter of Benton Elmer Murchison and Edith Fielding.

(1986) Mrs. Marine Saxon, 408-A West Spring Street, Sylacauga, Alabama 35150.

G. 17 EDITH ELIZABETH SAXON (Dgtr of Dollie O. Caldwell F.10)
b. 1 February 1916, Grasmere, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 22 November 1936, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
To: Gordon Langley.
Their Children: H.27.

G. 18 SARAH FRANCES SAXON (Dgtr of Dollie O. Caldwell F.10)
b. 12 October 1919, , Clay County, AL.
d.
m. 14 February 1942, Prattville, Autauga County, AL
To: Joe Knezevich.
Their Children:H.28.

Her husband was born on 25 September 1913 in Boone, Iowa.
(1986) Sara Frances Knezevich, 201 W. Park, Sylacauga, AL 35150.

G. 19 MILDRED LOUISE HARE (Dgtr of Annie E. Caldwell F.11)
b. 03 April 1917, Lanier Community, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 22 December 1943, Rossville, Catoosa County, GA.
To: Boyd Emery Harrell.
Their Children:

She is a member of the Salem Presbyterian Church, Talladega County, Alabama.

Her husband, Boyd Harrell, was born 10 April 1902 in Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama, the son of William D. Harrell and his wife Carrie Horne. He died on 26 August 1969 at Chattanooga, Tennessee and is buried in the Grasmere Cemetery, Route 2, Alpine, Alabama.

Address (1986): Mrs. Mildred H. Harrell, Route 2, Alpine, Alabama 35015.

G. 20 ELVA ELISE HARE (Dgtr of Annie Elizabeth Caldwell F.11)
b. 04 August 1921,
d.
m. 03 July 1943,
To: James Otis Drummond, Jr.
Their Children: H.29. (see also the addenda).

Her husband, James Otis Drummond, Jr., was born 30 September 1918 and died on 01 July 1976.

G. 21 ADA VERA HARE (Dgtr of Annie Elizabeth Caldwell F.11)
b. 21 January 1928
d. 14 October 1934
m. Never married.

G. 22 GLADYS ALMA STRICKLAND (Dgtr of Josie F. Caldwell F.12)
b. 26 September 1909, Talladega, AL.
d. 19 December 1983, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
m. 26 April 1927, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Clarence Vincent.
Their Children: HH.1, HH.2, HH.3, HH.4, HH.5, HH.6, HH.7, HH.8. (Appendix)

G. 23 SAMUEL FRANKLIN STRICKLAND (Son of Josie Franklin Caldwell F.12)
b. 12 January 1911, Alpine, Alabama.
d. 21 May 1974, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
bur: 23 May 1974, Grasmere Cemetery, Talladega Co., AL.
m. 14 October 1940,
To: Mae Belle Willingham.
Their Children: None.

His wife died on 20 July 1984 at Birmingham, AL.

G.24 JAMES DEWEY STRICKLAND (Son of Josie F. Caldwell F.12)
b. 9 October 1912, Talladega, AL.
d. 10 January 1915,
bur:
m. Never married.

G. 25 JOHN THOMAS STRICKLAND (Son of Josie F. Caldwell F.12)
b. 31 March 1914, Alpine, Talladega County, AL.
d. 31 May 1980, Sylacauga, Talladega County, AL.
bur: 02 June 1980, Hezipah Cemetery, Talladega Co., AL.
m. 10 October 1934, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
To: Mattie Hester.
Their Children: H.30, H.31, H.32, H.33.

His wife was born on 10 May 1915 in Munford, AL, the daughter of Charles Henry Hester and his wife Mary Cochrane.

G. 26 WALTER CHARLES STRICKLAND (Son of Josie F. Caldwell F.12)
b. 23 December 1916, Alpine, Talladega Co., AL.
d. 07 February 1978, Childersburg, Talladega Co., AL.
bur: 09 February 1978, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
m. 26 December 1939, Sycamore, Talladega Co., AL.
To: Margie Eveline Bates.
Their Children: H.34, H.35, H.36.

He was a farmer and a deacon in the Friendship Baptist Church.

G. 27 LUCILLE FRANCES STRICKLAND (Dgtr of Josie F. Caldwell F.12)
b. 19 January 1919, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. (1). 22 February 1936, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: John L. Tyra (died: 22 December 1954)
m. (2). 07 July 1945, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Johnny Womack.
Her Children: HH.9, HH.10, HH.11, HH.12.

G. 28 MARY ANN STRICKLAND (Dgtr of Josie Franklin Caldwell F.12)
b. 3 August 1920, Alpine, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 5 November 1938, Sycamore, Talladega County, AL.
To: Preston Howard McKee.
Their Children: H.37, H.38, H.39, H.40, H.41, H.42, H.43, H.44.

She was a member of the Westview Baptist Church, Sylacauga, Alabama. He belonged to the Friendship Baptist Church, Childersburg, Alabama. He died on 15 June 1972. He was the son of George William McKee and Lille Harris.

G. 29 BENJAMIN FRANKLIN STRICKLAND, JR. (Son of Josie F. Caldwell F.12)
b. 20 May 1922, Talladega, AL.
d. 17 November 1944, World War II.
bur:
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 30 EMMA JOE STRICKLAND (Dgtr of Josie Franklin Caldwell F.12)
b. 7 February 1924, Alpine, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 29 October 1940, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
To: Howard Lewis Hardee.
Their Children: H.45, H.46, H.47.

She was a member of the Baptist Church. Her husband, Howard Lewis Hardee, was born 19 October 1917, the son of James Thomas Hardee.

G. 31 WILLIE FIANTHA STRICKLAND (Dgtr of Josie F. Caldwell F.12)
b. 29 August 1925, Alpine, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 13 October 1946, Bon Air, Talladega County, AL.
To: Ira Forney Finn, Jr.
Their Children: H.48, H.49, H.50.

Her husband was born on 13 July 1924 at Childersburg, Alabama, the son of Ira Forney Finn and his wife Lizzie Lee Giddens.

G. 32 WILLIAM EDWIN STRICKLAND (Son of Josie F. Caldwell F.12)
b. 27 August 1929, Plantersville, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
bur:
m. 25 March 1950, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
To: Annie Pauline McDonald.
Their Children: H.51, H.52, H.53, H.54.

His wife was born on 12 October 1931 at Childersburg, AL., the daughter of Paul H. and Lillie Mae Butler McDonald.

G. 33 FRANCES CHRISTINE MAXWELL (Dgtr of Iris Permeasher Caldwell F.13)
b. 24 January 1913, Walker County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 21 December 1931, Plantersville, Talladega, AL.
To: Robert Edward Armbrester.
Their Children: H.55.

Her husband was born on 24 October 1906 at Renfroe, AL, the son of Michael Archbold Armbrester and his wife Ola Wenfred Gambrell.

G. 34 KEENIAN JEFFERSON MAXWELL (Son of Iris Permeasher Caldwell F.13)
b. 16 January 1916, Grasmere, AL.
d. 18 January 1964, Albany, GA.
bur:
m. 14 February 1941, Jasper, Walker County, AL.
To: Helen Lucille Aldridge.
Their Children: H.56, H.57.

His wife was born 21 April 1922, daughter of Robert Aldridge.

G. 35 WILLIAM ARTHUR MAXWELL, JR. (Son of Iris P. Caldwell F.13)
b. 11 March 1918, Grasmere, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 11 February 1939, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
To: Thelma Genell Stephens.
Their Children: H.58.

His wife was born 12 April 1922, daughter of M. Jay Stephens.

G. 36 JOEL SUTHERLAND MAXWELL (Son of Iris P. Caldwell F.13)
b. 17 April 1920,
d. 19 May 1929,
bur:

G. 37 JOHNNIE ELOISE MAXWELL (Dgtr of Iris P. Caldwell F.13)
b. 1 May 1921, Jasper, Walker County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 18 July 1940, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
To: Spiegal Smith Parnell.
Their Children: H.59, H.60.

Her husband was born 18 December 1917, the son of Wardie Parnell and his wife Novella Smith. He died on 3 December 1968.

G. 38 WILLIAM HERBERT CALDWELL (Son of Willie C. Caldwell F.15)
b. 21 March 1920, Renfroe, Talladega County, AL.
d. 3 September 1944, Europe, World War II.
bur: Military Cemetery, Belguim.
m. 28 March 1942, Dadeville, Tallapoosa County, AL.
To: Gusta Ruth Vaughn.
Their Children: None.

Newspaper clippings (no dateline) report: "REPORTED MISSING: Sgt. William Herbert Caldwell son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caldwell of Renfore, is reported missing in action in France September 3 by the War Department. Sgt. Caldwell has been overseas a year."

"DEATH REPORTED, Sgt. William Herbert Caldwell, 25, previously reported missing in action in France on Sept. 3, died on that date, according to official notification received by his wife. He had been in service since 1942, and overseas a year. He had won the Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement in action. Surviving him are his widow, the former Gusta Ruth Vaughn, Alpine, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Caldwell; one sister and one brother, all of Renfroe."

His wife, Gusta Ruth, was born on 21 March 1922 at Alpine, Talladega County, Alabama, the daughter of Andrew Cleveland Vaughn and Julia Margaret White. She is a member of the Methodist Church. She married second, William Eugene Cary.

G. 39 MURRAY EARL CALDWELL (Son of Willie Clyde Caldwell F.1.
b. 11 January 1922, Renfroe, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 25 May 1951, Birmingham, Jefferson County, AL.
To: Ruth Allen.
Their Children: H.61.

They are members of the Baptist Church. His wife, Ruth, was born on 19 February 1933 at Grasmere, Talladega County, Alabama, the daughter of Henry D. Allen and Lula Pauline Fannin.

G. 40 MARY RUTELIA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Willie Clyde Caldwell F.15)
b. 6 January 1924, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m.27 April 1946, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
To: Edison Lee Morrow.
Her Child: H.62 Their Children: H.63, H.64.

Her husband was born on 30 October 1921 in Franklin County, AL, the son of William Albert Morrow and his wife Rozella Hall.

G. 41 RALPH WESSON (son of Mavies Zella Caldwell F.16)
b. 25 January 1915, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
d. 03 March 1962, Fayetteville, Talladega, AL.
m. 24 December 1940, Fayetteville, AL.
To: Anna Louise Eason.
Their Children: HH.13, HH.14, HH.15. (Appendix)

His wife was born on 1 March 1919 in Alpine, AL, the daughter of James Edmond Eason and his wife Eva Louise Smith.

G. 42 LOWELL BRANSCOMB WESSON (son of Mavies Zella Caldwell F.16)
b. 18 September 1917, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 43 LEWIS FRANKLIN WESSON (son of Mavies Zella Caldwell F.16)
b. 09 March 1920, Talladega County, AL.
d.
m. 02 June 1942, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
To: Margarete Elizabeth Owen.
Their Children: HH.16 (Appendix)

His wife is the daughter of Robert Jackson Owen and Roxie Napier Owen. She was born 5 February 1921 in Ashland, Clay County, AL.

G. 44 VERA ELIZABETH WESSON (dgtr of Mavies Zella Caldwell F.16)
b. 18 May 1922, Talladega County, AL.
d.
m. 08 August 1942, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Sinclair Franklin Tharin.
Their Children: HH.17, HH.18, HH.19, HH.20, HH.21 (Appendix)

Her husband was born on 6 October 192__ in Ensley, AL, the son of Theodore Currington Tharin and his wife Mary Agnes McGaughy.

G. 45 LOUISE VERNELL WESSON (dgtr of Mavies Zella Caldwell G.16)
b. 06 September 1925, Talladega County, AL.
d.
m.(1). ___ _____ 1942,
To: Robert H. Dunn. (died: 20 August 1944, Germany)
Their Children: HH.22 (Appendix)
m.(2). 03 June 1950, Fayetteville, Talladega, AL.
To: Hugh Junior Martin. (Died: 05 July 1979)
Their Children: HH.23. (Appendix)

G. 46 CLYDE LAMAR WESSON (son of Mavies Zella Caldwell F16)
b. 21 January 1928, Munford, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 5 September 1953, Hartford, Perquimans, NC.
To: Norma Lee Fulkerson Sisco.
Their Children: HH.24, HH.25, HH.26 (Appendix)

She is the daughter of John W. Fulkerson and Minnie Lee Williams.

G. 47 MARVIN EARL WESSON (son of Mavies Zella Caldwell F.16)
b. 19 October 1930, Eastaboga, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 21 October 1950, Childersburg, TAlladega, AL.
To: Glennie Esther Blalock.
Their Children: HH.27, HH.28, HH.29 (Appendix)

She was born on 5 November 1931, Coosa Co., AL.

G. 48 JOHNNIE RUTH WESSON (Dgtr of Mavies Z. Caldwell F.16)
b. 5 August 1933, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 16 November 1950, (2). 24 March 1956, Talladega, A
To: 1. Robert James Gooden 2. Bennett W. Edmondson.
Their Children: HH.30, HH.31, HH.32 (appendix)

G 49 MAVIES JOY WESSON (dgtr of Mavies Zella Caldwell F.16)
b. 3 May 1936, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 25 January 1955, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
To: James Brickhouse.
Their Children: HH.33. (Appendix)

He was born on 3 October 1935, the son of James Albert Brickhouse.

G. 50 GEORGE WALLACE WESSON (son of Mavies Z. Caldwell F.16)
b. 7 March 1939, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
d. 5 October 1982, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
bur: 7 October 1982, ForestLawn, Calhoun, AL.
m. 10 February 1958,
To: Linda Jean Cadle
Their Children: HH.34, HH.35. (Appendix)

She was born on 13 October 1943, the daughter of L. A. Cadle and his wife Clara.

G. 51 ETHEL MARIE WESSON (dgtr of Mavis Zella Caldwell F.16
b. 15 July 1941, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 21 October 1966, Montgomery, Montgomery, AL.
To: Robert L. Boone.
Their Children: None.

He was born on 3 February 1939 at Prattsville, AL, the son of Clarence Robert Boone and his wife Ruby Estelle Seamon.

G. 52 LETA MAE KNIGHT (Dgtr of Lucille Frances Caldwell F.17)
b. 20 June 1925, Pittsburg, Crawford Co., Kansas.
d.
bur:
m. 17 May 1946, Munford, Talladega County, Alabama.
To: Ashley Leonidas Camp, Jr.
Their Children: H.65, H.66, H.67.

Leta Mae and her husband, Ashley Leonidas Camp, are members of the Church of Christ in Munford, Alabama.

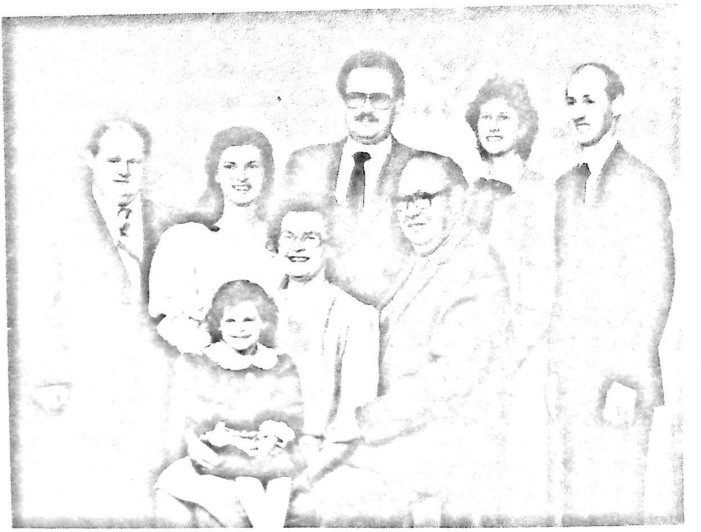
She attended the University of Montevallo, Montevallo, Alabama and Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, Alabama. She worked as a secretary at the Alabama Institute for the Deaf & Blind in Talladega, Alabama for 22 years. Now (1986) she is working as bookkeeper and receptionist in her husband's Chiropractic Clinic in Talladega.

She has been extremely helpful to the author in collecting a wealth of data on the Alabama line of this Caldwell Family - without her contribution and that of her mother, Mrs. Lucille Caldwell Brown, (F.17) this section of the history would be very limited in scope. I will be eternally grateful to her for her help and encouragement.

Ashley Leonidas Camp, Jr. was born on 19 July 1923 at Munford, Talladega County, Alabama, the son of Ashley Leonidas Camp and his wife Elise Davenport. He attended Jacksonville State University, Jacksonville, Alabama and received his Doctor of Chiropractic Degree from Palmer College of Chiropractic, Davenport, Iowa in March 1949.

During World War II he served as a Corporal in the 743rd Tank Battalion, U. S. Army (1943-1944), in England, France, Belguim and Germany. He was awarded the Purple Heart with two clusters, Bronze Star, 4 Battle Stars and the Presidential Unit Citation for Combat in Normandy, France.

He has been active as a Scoutmaster and District Director of the Boy Scouts of America. He is a member of the Alabama and American Chiropractic Association and served two terms (1958- 1966) in the Alabama House of Representatives.



THE ASHLEY L. CAMP, JR. FAMILY

(Seated L to R) Cara Jean Camp, I.102, Leta Mae Knight Camp, G.52 Ashley L. Camp, Jr., (Standing l to r) Ashley L. Camp, III, H.65, Jean Wesson Camp, Cary Franklin Camp, H.66, Sandra Wiggins Camp, Bruce Camp, H.67. (March 1987).

Ann Amelia Ward, G.55 and husband Douglas Ward. (1987).

THE 1987 CALDWELL REUNION

TALLADEGA COUNTY, ALABAMA

On Sunday, June 14, 1987, fifty to sixty of the descendants of John Gordon Caldwell, C.16, gathered for the annual reunion of the clan. The event took place at Smith Lake on the Coosa River in Talladega County, Alabama.

As usual, there was an abundance of delectable food...delicious catfish, hush puppies and french fries prepared at the site and every manner of mouth-watering delicacies.

The weather was cloudy and mild with a slight breeze blowing from the north. Fortunately, there was no rain during the festivities.

Some of the families represented were the, Caldwells, Camps, Rories, Hares, Wessons, Stricklands, Nelsons, Macomishes, Halls, Saxons, Wards, Peoples, Finns, Files, etc.

The descendants of William Harris Caldwell, C.17, a brother to John Gordon Caldwell, in attendance were, Johnnie Caldwell Files, William Wallace Caldwell and his wife Mary Emily Sawyer Caldwell, from Arkansas.

The author of this book, William W. Caldwell, had with him two note books containing photocopies of the manuscript which he made available for his many cousins to inspect.

It was a most gratifying feeling to witness the excitement displayed by those who found their names, their parents, children and grandchildren in the book. A number of persons purchased books when they saw the scope of the publication who had not done so previously.

The majority of those attending were from Talladega County, Alabama, from Munford, Sylacauga, Childersburg, Talladega, Sycamore and other communities. Talladega County contains a heavy concentration of the descendants of John Gordon Caldwell, perhaps, uniquely so. The author has not come across a similar situation any place else during his research on the Caldwell family.

The clan plans to hold another gathering there in June, 1988 and extended an invitation to all of their Caldwell Cousins whereever they might be.

G. 53 LOREE KNIGHT (Dgtr of Lucille Frances Caldwell F.17)
b. 7 September 1928,
d. 30 January 1930,
bur:

G. 54 LOIS MILDRED HUDSON (Dgtr of Lucille F. Caldwell F.17)
b. 10 August 1932, Grasmere Community, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 5 December 1953, Roswell, New Mexico.
To: Calvin M. Chappell.
Their Children: H.68, H.69, H.70.

Her husband was born on 28 April 1926 at Covington, OK, the son of John M. Chappell and his wife Nannie Amanda Coon. She served in the Womens' Air Force, 1952-1954 at Lackland AFB and Lowery AFB. In 1986 she operated a Medical Supply Store in Mid West City, OK.

G. 55 ANN AMELIA HUDSON (Dgtr of Lucille F. Caldwell F.17)
b. 26 June 1938, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
d.
m. 26 July 1986, Arab, Marshall County, AL.
To: Oliver Douglas Ward.

She received her B.S. and M.S. degrees from Troy State University in Troy, Alabama and has taught school since 1962 in Talladega, Montgomery, Alabama to June 1969. In August 1969, shejoined the Overseas Independent School Program. She taught at the United States Air Force Base in Karamursel, Turkey - 1969-1970 and is presently teaching at the United States Naval Base, Rota, Spain (1986).
Ann Amelia Hudson, U.S. Naval Station, Box 19, FPO N.Y. 09540.

G. 56 VIRGINIA WILLIE RORIE (Dgtr of Therie S. Caldwell F.19
b. 9 August 1923, Grasmere, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 5 October 1946, Anniston, Calhoun County, AL.
To: Troy Lorraine Jeffcoat.
Their Children: H.71.

She is a member of the Baptist Church. Her husband, Troy, was born 26 March 1925 in Swansea, Lexington County, South Carolina the son of Elijah R. Jeffcoat and Lewellyn Redd.

G. 57 PATRICIA ANN RORIE (Dgtr of Therie S. Caldwell F.19)
b. 29 June 1928, Grasmere, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 4 August 1946, Grasmere, Talladega County, AL.
To: Elward (Edward) Franklin Thomas.
Their Children: H.72, H.73.

She is a member of the Baptist Church. Her husband, Elward, was born on 22 October 1923 in Chattanooga, Hamilton County, Tennessee, the son of Howard Franklin Thomas and Elizabeth Ethel Smelley. He died on 12 August 1981 at Atlanta, Georgia and is buried in the Grasmere Cemetery, Talladega County, Alabama.

G. 58 JOAN JUANITA RORIE (Dgtr of Therie Stella Caldwell F.19)
b. 29 May 1936, Grasmere, Talladega County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 21 December 1954, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: David George Macomish.
Their Children: H.74.

She and her husband are members of the Producing Faith Ministries. He was born on 27 May 1934 in Kapuskasing, Ontario, Canada, the son of David Macomish and Ethel May Duff.
(1986) David G. Macomish, Rt. 1, Box 899-B, Leeds, AL 35094.

G. 59 MARION DEWITT CALDWELL (Son of Johnnie M. Caldwell F.20)
b. 3 November 1926, Manchester, Walker County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 13 August 1949, Fulton, Itawamba County, MS.
To: Adelle Mae Vincent.
Their Children: H.75, H.76.

They are member so the Cartersville Baptist Church, Talladega County, Alabama. She is the daughter of Henry David Vincent and his wife Cordia Mae Hallman, born 7 April 1931 in Tuscaloosa County, AL.
(1986) Dewitt Caldwell, Rt.2, Box 152, Alpine, AL 35014.
Note: He married second, Mary Ellen Fannin Johnson on 12 April 1982 at Columbiana, AL. She is the daughter of James Draper Fannin and Mollie Ann Bussey. She was born 4 January 1932 at Grasmere, AL. Her first husband was Curtis Devoy Johnson (deceased).

G. 60 ELEANOR SALLIETA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Johnnie M. Caldwell
b. 9 May 1929, Grasmere, Talladega Co., AL. F.20)
d.
bur:
m. 15 February 1946,
To: Ralph Ardell Murphy.
Their Children: H.77, H.78.

She is a member of the Baptist Church. Her husband was born on 17 August 1927 in DeKalb County, Alabama, the son of Arthur Maburn Murphy and Mable Ercell Smith..

(1986) Eleanor C. Murphy, 3921 Ebenezer Rd. N.E., Marietta, Georgia 30066.

G. 61 ESCHOL DOUGLAS CALDWELL (Son of Johnnie M. Caldwell
b. 21 September 1931, Grasmere, Talladega, AL. F.20)
d.
bur:
m. 21 January 1950, Tampa, Hillsborough Co., FL.
To: Betty Jane Cook.
Their Children: H.79, H.80. (adopted)

His wife is the daughter of Dow Edward Cook and Lena Bessie Fields, born 15 August 1927 at Whipple, Fayette County, West Va.

(1986) Betty Caldwell, Box 342, Key Largo, FL 33037.

G. 62 EDNA EARL CALDWELL (Dgtr of Johnnie M. Caldwell F.20)
b. 26 February 1933, Grasmere, Talladega Co., AL.
d. 26 February 1933,
bur:

G. 63 TOMMYE ORLEANA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Johnnie M. Caldwell
b. 26 November 1937, Talladega, Talladega, AL. F.20)
d.
bur:
m. 30 August 1959, Oak Grove Methodist Ch., Talladega.
To: Samuel Ralph Pate.
Their Children: H.81, H.82, H.83.

They are members of the Baptist Church, Tullahoma, Coffee County, Tennessee.

Tommye received her B.S. degree in elementary education from Samford University, Birmingham, Alabama.

Her husband was born on 27 October 1937 at Thorsby, Chilton County, Alabama the son of Ralph Elvin Pate and Frances Roberta Marcus.

He received a B.S. in Aeronautical Engineering from Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama, a M.S. in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Tennessee, Knoxville and a Ph.D. in Aerospace from the University of Tennessee at Knoxville.

(1986) Mrs. Tommye C. Pate, Rt. 2, Box 215B, Lake Hill Road, Tullahoma, TN 37388.

G. 64 JOHN MILTON BANKS (Son of Eunice H. Caldwell F.21)
b. 1 March 1925, Manchester, Walker County, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 1 September 1943, Jasper, Walker County, AL.
To: Jimmie Nell Eddy.
Their Children: H.84, H.85.

G. 65 EVELYN CORNELIA BANKS (Dgtr of Eunice H. Caldwell F.21)
b. 28 June 1926, Manchester, Walker Co., AL.
d.
bur:
m. 1 January 1955, Toledo, OH.
To: Walter Dexter Isbell.
Their Children: H.86, H.87.

Her husband was born 27 August 1903, Gadsden, AL.

G. 66 DOROTHY LORIETTA BANKS (Dgtr of Eunice H. Caldwell F.21)
b. 24 November 1935,
d.
bur:
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 67 ELLEN ADELL CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Cecil Caldwell F.22)
b. 02 October 1928, Kymulga, Talladega, AL.
d.
bur:
m. 19 April 1952, Sycamore, Talladega, AL.
To: Sam Maxwell Martin.
Their Children: H.88, H.89, H.90.

They are members of the Methodist Church. He was born 27 November 1923 in Tallapoosa County, AL, the son of Dewitt Martin and his wife Emma Smith.

G. 68 CECIL WAYNE CALDWELL (Son of William Cecil Caldwell F.23)
b. 07 March 1939, Jasper, Walker, AL.
d.
m. 01 August 1959, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Ingrid Austine Brim.
Their Children: H.91, H.92, H.93, H.94.

They are members of the Church of the Latter Day Saints, Sylacauga, AL. His wife was born on 22 November 1942 at Sylacauga, AL, the daughter of Austin Eugene Brim and his wife Bessie Elena Lee.

Address (1986): Cecil Wayne Caldwell, P.O. Box 314, Sycamore, AL 35149.

G. 69 AVA REBECCA CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Albert Caldwell F.24)
b. 01 November 1935, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 06 March 1954, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: John William Peoples.
Their Children: H.95, H.96.

Her husband was born on 17 August 1934 at Kymulga, AL, the son of Edward Peoples and his wife Levonia Hosey.

Address (1986): Mrs. Rebecca C. Peoples, Rt. 1, Childersburg, AL 35044.

G. 70 JOHN HENRY CALDWELL (Son of John Albert Caldwell F.24)
b. 20 September 1945, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 03 August 1964, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Victoria Lynn Hulsey.
Their Children: H.97, H.98.

His wife was born on 15 April 1949 at Sylacauga, AL, the daughter of Henry Ford Hulsey and his wife Willie Ruth Parson.

Address (1986): Henry Caldwell, Rt. 1, Childersburg, AL 35044.

G. 71 DONALD CLARENCE CALDWELL (Son of Clarence H. Caldwell F.25)
b. 14 August 1935, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 01 June 1959, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Harriet Jane Harrison.
Their Children: H.99, H.100.

He attended Birmingham public schools and graduated from Ensley High School in 1954, received a B.S. in Commerce and Business Administration from the University of Alabama in 1960. He is Regional Sales Manager for Jones Truck Lines, Inc. He is a member of Dawson Memorial Baptist Church. His wife was born on 19 November 1939 at Birmingham, AL, the

daughter of Joel and Clara Warren Harrison. She graduated from Ensley High School in 1958 and received her B.S. Elementary Education from the University of Alabama/Birmingham in 1971. She is a first grade teacher in the Birmingham school system.

Address (1986):2326 Misty Ridge Circle, Birmingham, AL 35226.

G. 72 JAMES FRANKLIN CALDWELL (Son of Clarence H. Caldwell F.25)
b. 29 April 1938, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 25 February 1961, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Melba I. Ratliff.
Their Children: H.101, H.102, H.103.

He was educated in the Birmingham public schools, attended the University of Alabama/Birmingham and the University of Northern Alabama. He received a certificate in Health Administration from the University of Alabama/Birmingham in 1970. worked as an auditor for U.S.F. & G. Company in Birmingham from 1964-1967. He owns and operates three nursing homes in Alabama. He served in the U.S. Army from 1958-59. His wife was born 16 February 1942 at Birmingham, AL, the daughter of John D. Ratliff and his wife Irene. She is an Accredited Records Technician and is self-employed as a consultant. They are members of the First Baptist Church, Jasper, AL.

Address (1986): 2100 Pawnee Circle, Jasper, AL 35501.

G. 73 JOYCE ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Dgtr of Clarence H. Caldwell F.25)
b. 31 March 1941, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. (1). (2). 15 August 1981, Birmingham.
To. Don Preston (2). Jerry Patterson.
Their Children: (1). H.104, H.105, H.106.

She graduated from Ensley High School, Birmingham, AL in 1959 and received a diploma in Computer Science from Bessemer Technical College. She works as a computer operator for the City of Pleasant Grove, AL. They are members of the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church. Her husband, Jerry was born 19 January 1936 at Birmingham, AL. He graduated from Ensley High School in 1954 and is Chief Estimator for the American Cast Iron Pipe Company.

Address (1986): 457 4th Street, Pleasant Grove, AL 35127.

G. 74 JULIA GALE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Julius Clifton Caldwell F.26)
b. 12 January 1931, Gadsden, AL.
d.
m. 29 March 1957, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Joseph T. McQueen.
Their Children: H.107, H.108, H.109, H.110.

Address (1986): 625 Oxmoor Road, Birmingham, AL 35209.

G. 75 JAMES LeROY CALDWELL (Son of Julius Clifton Caldwell F.26)
b. 09 September 1934, Gadsden, AL.
d.
m. 20 August 1960, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Charlotte Anne McKinney.
Their Children: H.111, H.112, H.113.

James LeRoy Caldwell attended Acipco Elementary School and Phillips High School in Birmingham, AL. He attended Samford University, Birmingham, Florida State University and New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary at New Orleans, LA. He has earned his B.M.E., M.E., and Ph.D.

He served in the United States Army from 1953 to 1955, attaining the rank of Specialist 3, Artillery Fire Director. He was stationed in Germany and received several decorations.

He is a Baptist and a Minister of Music. He worked in this capacity from 1960 to 1963 at the Metarie Baptist Church in Metarie, LA. He was a teaching assistant at Florida State University from 1964 to 1968 and has been Chairman of the Music Department at Columbia College in Columbia, SC. from 1968 to 1986.

His wife, Charlotte Anne McKinney, was born on 12 August 1938 at Birmingham, AL., the daughter of Lester Thomas McKinney and his wife Ada Vastie Allison. She is a teacher and a member of the Baptist church.

Dr. Caldwell is an avid and accomplished genealogist and has researched the Caldwell Family intensively over the years. He contributed a tremendous amount of material for this history relating to the Alabama branch of the Caldwells.

He has served as Vice Commander of the Sigma Nu fraternity and his hobbies are tennis, hiking and shooting.

Address (1986): 770 Gardendale Drive, Columbia, SC 29210.

G. 76 PAULA RHEE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Julius Clifton Caldwell F.26)
b. 16 July 1936, Gadsden, AL.
d.
m. 01 September 1955, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Jack Henry Harrison.
Their Children: H.114, H.115.

She attended Acipco Elementary School and graduated from Phillips High School in Birmingham, AL in 1953. She attended Auburn University, Auburn, AL. Her hobbies are tennis and exercize. They are members of Dawson Memorial Baptist Church.

Her husband was born 22 August 1933 at Birmingham, AL, the son of Jack Harrison and his wife Bessie Brasher. He attended Acipco Elementary School, graduated from Phillips High School in Birmingham in 1956 and received his LLB in law from the University of Alabama in 1956 and is a practicing attorney.

G. 77 MALCOLM EDWARD MEADOWS (Son of Frances L. Caldwell F.28)
b. 02 December 1942, Heflin, AL.
d.
m. 26 October 1968, Heflin, AL.
To: Annie Campbell.
Their Children: H.116, H.117.

G. 78 FRANKIE CALDWELL SAULS (Dgtr of Jamie Lois Caldwell F.29)
b. 04 April 1937, Lakeland, FL.
d.
m. (1). (2).
To: Jesse C. Taylor. (2). Charles Chapman.
Their Children: (1). H.118, H.119, H.120.

G. 79 JOHN BEVERLY SAULS, JR. (Son of Jamie Lois Caldwell F.29)
b. 13 July 1946,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 80 JAN COURTNEY SAULS (Son of Jamie Lois Caldwell F.29)
b. 02 July 1951, Lakeland, FL.
d.
m.
To: Susan Elizabeth LeFontaine.
Their Children: H.121, H.122.

G. 81 PATSY SUE MERRILL (Dgtr of Floramae Maben F.30)
b. 28 September 1931, DeRidder, Louisiana.
d.
m. 4 December 1954,
To: Kenner Ozias Miller.
Their Children: H.123, H.124, H.125, H.126.

Her husband, Kenner Ozias Miller, was born on 6 February 1926 at Daytona Beach, Florida.

G. 82 JACQUELINE MABEN MERRILL (Dgtr of Floramae Maben F.30)
b. 15 November 1932, Leesville, La.
d.
m. (1). 8 August 1954(Divorced 1969 (2). 1 September 1972.
To: (1). Frank Truitt (2). Cecil Jenkins, Jr.
Their Children: (1). H.127, H.128.

G. 83 MICHAEL HENRY MERRILL (son of Floramae Maben F.30)
b. 4 January 1942, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
d.
m.
To: Anne Durrett.

G. 84 LEON CALDWELL HARBIN, JR. (Son of Leon C. Harbin F.33)
b. 6 October 1934, Lake Providence, Louisiana.
d.
m. 23 December 1956, Grenada, Mississippi.
To: Peggy Evans.
Their Children: H.129, H.130, H.131.

He is (1986) head of the Chamber of Commerce and Industrial Development Board of Montgomery County, Tennessee.
His wife, Peggy, was born on 4 March 1936 at Grenada, Mississippi.
Address (1986): 604 Waterloo Drive, Clarksville, TN 37043.

G. 85 WILLIAM STOWE HARBIN (Son of Leon Caldwell Harbin F.33)
b. 31 July 1937
d.
m. 9 June 1960, Monroe Ouachita Parish, Louisiana.
To: Mary Katherine Walker.
Their Children: H.132, H.133, H.134.

He is (1986) a teacher and minister. His wife Mary Katherine was born 19 November 1937 in Monroe, Louisiana.
Address (1986): P.O. Box 1315, Oak Grove, Louisiana 71263.

G. 86 JAMES WILSON GRIFFIS, JR. (Son of Margaret Melba Harbin F.37)
b. 30 June 1936, Yazoo City, Yazoo County, MS.
d. 14 October 1975, San Antonio, Bexar County, TX.
Bur: 17 October 1975, Yazoo City, Yazoo County, MS.
m. 8 June 1958, Greenwood, MS.
TO: Nena Dairon.
Their Children: H.135, H.136.

Nena Dairon Griffis, widow of James Wilson Griffis, Jr., lives in Greenwood, Mississippi at 611 Sumner Street, 38930 (1986). She is a school teacher.

G. 87 JOHN HARBIN GRIFFIS (Son of Margaret Melba Harbin F.37)
b. May 1942
d. May 1942, two days after birth.

G. 88 FORREST HOWARD GRIFFIS (Son of Margaret Melba Griffis
b. 11 March 1946, Vicksburg, Warren County, MS.
d.
m. 11 November 1968, Natchez, MS.
To: Jeannie Weatherby. (Divorced)
Their Children: H.137, H.138.

His wife had two daughters when they married. He adopted them. They were divorced in 1974.
Forrest is in the hardware business like his father before him.

G. 89 LEONA MAE MOODY (Dgtr of Effie Mae Bell F.39)
b. 07 July 1929, Baton Rouge, E. Baton Rouge Parish, LA.
d.
m.
To:

G. 90 DONNIE ADELIA LAND (Dgtr of Daisy Donnie Bell F.40)
b. 1935,
d. 1969,
m.
To: Alvin M. Willis.
Their Children: H.139, H.140, H.141.

G. 91 _____ BELL (Dgtr of John Robert Bell, Jr. F.41)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 92 _____ BELL (Dgtr of John Robert Bell, Jr. F.41)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 93 JACKIE BELL (Son of Joseph Caldwell Bell F.42)
b. 12 October 1934, LaArk, Morehouse Parish, LA.
d.
m. May , Eudora, Chicot County, AR.
To: Katie Lee Smith.
Their Children: H.142, H.143, H.144.

He was raised on his father's farm at the Empire Community between Parkdale and Eudora, Arkansas where his father operated a general store. He has worked as a farmer, for an implement dealer and (1986) as an auctioneer.

His wife, Katie was born on 15 August 1935 at Wilmot, Ashley County, Arkansas, the daughter of Edward Smith and Mary Lucrease Vail.

G. 94 WILLIAM MCBROOM (Son of Frances Jeannette Bell F.43)
b. 14 September 1934, Vicksburg, Mississippi.
d.
m. June 1957, Massachuesetts
To: Shirley Authier. b. April 1933.
Their Children: H.145, H.146.

G. 95 TOMMY MCBROOM (Son of Frances Jeannette Bell F.43)
b. 18 December 1944, Vicksburg, Mississippi.
d.
m. August 1966, Vicksburg, Mississippi.
To: Michele Mahurter, b. April 1948, Newburgh, NY.
Their Children: H.147, H.148.

G. 96 WAYNE CALVIN WOLFE, JR. (Son of Wayne C. Wolfe F.45)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 97 JAMES K. WOLFE (Son of Wayne Calvin Wolfe F.45)
b. 1931
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 98 LAWRENCE L. WOLFE (Son of Wayne Calvin Wolfe F.45)
b. 1933
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G. 99 MARY VIRGINIA WOLFE (Dgtr of Wayne Calvin Wolfe F.45)
b. 1937
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.100 BETTY CAROLINE WOLFE (Dgtr of Wayne Calvin Wolfe F.45
b. 1941
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.101 EUGENE WOLFE (Son of Wayne Calvin Wolfe F.45)
b. 1944
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.102 _____ WOLFE (Ch of Travis Wolfe F.46)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.103 MARILYN JOYCE WALTMAN (Dgtr of Mary Evelyn Blanks F.47)
b. 05 February 1932, McGehee, Desha County, AR.
d.
m. 05 March 1953, Dermott, Chicot County, AR.
To: James Ross Hall. (Divorced June 1985)
Their Children: H.149, H.150, H.151.

She attended public schools in Dermott, Arkansas, graduated from the University of Central Arkansas, Conway, Arkansas with a degree in Education. Later, she earned her M.S.E. degree there and has worked as a teacher and librarian since that time. She is a member of the First Southern Baptist Church in Bryant, Arkansas.

Her husband, James Ross Hall, was born 31 July 1929 the son of Maurice Hall and his wife Pansy. He is a professor at the University of Arkansas - Little Rock.

Address (1986): P.O. Box 52, Bauxite, AR 72011.

G.104 MARTIN ROY WALTMAN, JR. (Son of Mary Evelyn Blanks F.47)
b. 16 January 1936, Dermott, Chicot County, AR.
d.
m. 02 June 1961, Dermott, Chicot County, AR.
To: Frances Jo Knoll.
Their Children: H.152, H.153.

He grew up and attended public school in Dermott, Arkansas. His higher education was in the field of Electrical Engineering in the aircraft industry where he is now employed (1986).

His wife, Frances Jo Knoll, was born 3 October 1942 at Stuttgart, Arkansas County, Arkansas, the daughter of Joseph Franklin Knoll and his wife Jessie Frances Ferguson.

Address (1986): Route 1, Box 103, Bauxite, AR 72011.

G.105 LOUIS CLYDE ACRUMAN II (Son of Elizabeth Blanks F.48)
b. 08 July 1939, Texarkana, Miller County, AR.
d.
m. 18 January 1975, Texarkana, Miller County, AR.
To: Dian Marie Boyd.
Their Children:

He is an investor. His wife was born 29 May 1954 at Texarkana, Texas, the daughter of John Ernest Boyd, Jr. and his wife Barbara Yvonne Dennington.

G.106 PAUL ANDREW ACRUMAN (Son of Elizabeth Blanks F.48)
b. 08 July 1939, Texarkana, Miller County, AR.
d. 19 April 1966, Texarkana, Bowie County, TX.
m. Never married.

G.107 TERRENCE ALLEN JOHNS (Son of Marian Daisy Blanks F.49)
b. 07 November 1936, Houston, Harris County, TX.
d.
m. 30 June 1957, Dermott, Chicot County, AR
To: Karen Augusta Kimpel.
Their Children: H.154, H.155, H.156.

"Terry" Johns attended Parkview Elementary School, Houston, Texas, Dermott Junior High School, Dermott, Arkansas and graduated from Dermott High School in 1954. He attended Arkansas A & M College, Monticello, Arkansas where he received a BSE degree in 1964. In 1972, he received his MSE degree from Memphis State University, Memphis, TN.

From 1967 to 1971 he was employed by Sears, Roebuck and Company in Warren, Arkansas and Poplar Bluff, Missouri. He taught at Memphis State University from 1971 to 1973 and has been employed as a professor and guidance counselor at Shelby State Community College, Memphis, TN since 1973.

He is a member of the Baptist Church and has been active in the JayCees (Vice president 1964-67) and the Lions Club.

His wife, Karen, was born on 11 October 1936, at Memphis, TN, the daughter of Ernest B. Kimpel and his wife Earnestine Waddell. She is an author and has published two novels; BELLE GLEN, 1979 and PROUD SURRENDER, 1986, Avon Books.

Address (1986) 2833 McCulley Street, Bartlett, Tn 38134.

G.108 JAMES ANDREW JOHNS (Son of Marian Daisy Blanks F.49)
b. 31 March 1940, Houston, Harris County, TX.
d.
m. 15 May 1960, Rison, Cleveland County, AR.
To: Emma Sue Mitchell.
Their Children: H.157, H.158.

His wife was born at Pine Bluff, Jefferson County, Arkansas on 13 April 1940, the daughter of John D. Mitchell and his wife Bonnie Mae Baldwin. She is a dance and gymnastics instructor.

"Andy" is a professor at the University of Arkansas at Monticello, Monticello, Arkansas.

Address (1986): 824 North Chester, Monticello, AR 71655

G.109 WILLIAM LAWRENCE JOHNS (Son of Marian Daisy Blanks F.49)
b. 11 September 1944, Houston, Harris County, TX.
d.
m. (1). September 1966
To: Mike Faye Medberry (divorced).
Their Children:
m. (2) 01 August 1982
To: Cherie Lee Thompson.
Their Children: H.159, H.160, H.161.

"Larry's" first wife was born on 12 September 1949. They were divorced and she married second, Alyn Roberts.

His second wife, Cherie Lee Thompson, was born 25 March 1958, the daughter of William and Becky Nelson Thompson.

Larry is a building contractor.

Address (1986): Rural Route 1, Box 1089A, Ocala, FL 32671.

G.110 MARIAN JEAN JOHNS (Dgtr of Marian Daisy Blanks F.49)
b. 26 November 1947, Houston, Harris County, TX.
d.
m. 21 October 1967, Philadelphia, PA. (Div. 23 Sep 1971).
To: James Anthony Murphy.
Their Children:H.162, H.163.

Her husband was born on 15 December 1947 at Giessen, Germany, the son of James Anthony and Marie Therese Charpentier Murphy. He is a security guard.

Address (1986): 2274 N.E. 54th Place, Ocala, FL 32671.

G.111 HENRY ARCHIBALD MORGAN, JR. (Son of Frances J. Blanks F.50)
b. 14 August 1950, Dallas, TX.
d.
m. 01 February 1975, Dallas, TX.
To: Cheryl Ann Meinert.
Their Children: H.164, H.165, H.166.

He attended public schools in Dallas, Texas and graduated from Southern Methodist University in 1972 with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree. He is self employed in the life insurance and real estate business.

His wife was born on 25 July 1947 at Kansas City, Missouri, the daugther of Kerwin E. Meinert and his wife Evelyn Rentschler. She attended Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri and Duke University where she received her B.S.N. degree. They are Presbyterians. His hobbies are swimming and coaching baseball and soccer.

Address (1986): 3224 Wentwood, Dallas, TX 75225.

G.112 MARY FLORENCE MORGAN (Dgtr of Frances Jeanett Blanks F.50)
b. 01 July 1957, Dallas, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

She attended public schools in Dallas and Richardson, Texas and received her Bachelor of Science in Home Economics from the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville in 1979. She worked as office manager for Dillard's Department Stores in Little Rock from 1979 to 1985. From 1985 to the present she has been Administrative Secretary at Electronics Data Systems. She is a member of Calvary Baptist Church. Her hobbies are bowling and crafts.

Address (1986): 1500 Preston Road, #1306, Plano, TX 75075.

G.113 DOROTHY JANE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Maurice Caldwell F.51)
b. 29 September 1946, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, LA.
d.
m. 24 February 1973, Springfield, Greene County, MO.
To: Stephen Shook Minor.
Their Children: H.167, H.168.

She was reared in Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas and attended Parkdale Elementary School from 1952 to 1961, Wilmot High School from 1961 to 1964 when she graduated. She attended Louisiana Tech University at Ruston, Louisiana from 1964 to 1968 where she received her B.A. in English. While attending Tech she was president of the Blue Jackets, a service organization. From 1968 to 1970 she attended the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville where she earned her M.A. degree in English and served as a graduate assistant. She was an English instructor at Southwest Missouri State University in Springfield from 1970 to 1974 and worked as a clerk-typist at the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas from 1974 to 1976. In 1985 she was a part-time instructor at Tulsa Junior College, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

She was christened at the Parkdale Methodist Church, Parkdale, Arkansas on Easter Sunday, 1947 and later became a member of that church. In September 1984 she joined Saint Stephen's United Methodist Church in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

She served as a La Leche leader in St. Louis, Missouri and Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, enjoys gardening, needlework and teaching her two sons. During her married life they have lived in Springfield, Missouri, Lawrence, Kansas, St. Louis, Missouri and Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

Her husband, Stephen Shook Minor, was born 8 October 1946 in Springfield, Missouri, the son of Herschel Houston Minor and his wife Mary Lou Shook. He earned his doctorate in chemistry and has taught at several colleges and universities and in industry.

G.114 SARA MAUREEN CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Maurice Caldwell F.51)
b. 1 November 1948, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, LA.
d.
m. (1). 9 December 1968, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.
To: Phillip Schwartz. (Divorced)
Their Children: H.169.
m. (2). 1986
To:
Their Children:

She attended elementary school in Parkdale, Ashley County, AR. where she was reared and Wilmot High School in Wilmot, Arkansas, her B.A. in Education at the University of Arkansas, Monticello, Arkansas. She taught school in Parkdale for several years and in 1985 began teaching in Bastrop, Louisiana.

G.115 WILLIAM WALLACE CALDWELL (Son of William Wallace Caldwell F.52)
b. 9 October 1927, Little Rock, Pulaski County, AR.
d.
m. 17 April 1951, Monticello, Drew County, AR.
To: Mary Emily Sawyer.
Their Children: H.170, H.171.

He was born at St. Vincent's Infirmary, Little Rock, Arkansas. His mother, Margaret Elizabeth Erion Caldwell, was the daughter of Walter Booth Erion and his wife Mary Juliette Wilson. His mother died on 15 October 1927 from complications of childbirth. His father and paternal grandmother, Mrs. John Henry Caldwell, came to Little Rock to get him and brought him to Parkdale on the train. His father died on 10 May 1930 and he was reared by his grandparents John Henry and Sadye Paul Caldwell.

Early in life he began working in the family general store, first selling candy and soft drinks after school and on Saturdays.

He attended public school in Parkdale and at the begginning of the 11th grade in high school he attended Gulf Coast Military Academy in Gulfport, Mississippi. The last semester of high school he attended Little Rock Senior High School in Little Rock, Arkansas where he graduated while living with his maternal grandparents.

In January 1946, he enlisted in the United States Navy with his childhood friends, Jack Crandall Gardner and Elton Higdon. They received their basic training at the United States Naval Training Center in San Diego, California. After completion of "Boot Camp" he was assigned to Radioman School at Bainbridge, Maryland. From there he was assigned to duty aboard the U.S.S. Token, AMS 126 an Auxiliary Minesweeper berthed at Charleston, South Carolina. Aboard the Token he saw duty at Newport, Rhode Island, New London, Connecticut, New Orleans, Louisiana, Norfolk, Virginia and Orange, Texas where he was honorably discharged in November 1947 with the rank of Seaman First Class. While in the Navy he was awarded the Navy Good Conduct Medal and the World War II Victory Medal. His U.S.N. Serial number was 347-35-93.

After his return to civilian life he attended Little Rock Junior College in Little Rock, Arkansas, Arkansas A & M College, Monticello, Arkansas and the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Arkansas.

In May 1949 he enlisted in the United States Army and was assigned to the Engineer School at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, Company A, 656th Engineer Topographical Battalion. While at Fort Belvoir he attended the Topographic Drafting School (12 weeks), Topographic Computing School (12 Weeks) and Photomapping School (12 weeks). At the outbreak of the Korean War his unit was assigned to duty in Schwetzingen, Germany near the historic city of Heidelberg. After he had been there for nine months, his wife Mary Emily joined him and they lived at 191 Rohrbacher Strasse in Heidelberg until their return to the United States in October 1952. While in the Army he attained the rank of Master Sergeant and his final duty was as Platoon Sergeant of a Photomapping Platoon. He was awarded the Army Good Conduct Medal and Army Occupation Medal (Germay). His Army serial number was RA 18 349 102.

In the Fall of 1952 he went to work for his grandfather, John Henry Caldwell, in the family mercantile business. After a few years he and three of his uncles, John Maurice (Molly), John Paul (Pete) and John Henry Caldwell, Jr. purchased the business and leased the Caldwell Farm from John Henry Caldwell, Se. They also operated a small grocery store in Wilmot which they leased from their cousin Donnie Bell Land.

In late 1958 he sold his interests in the business back to his grandfather and went to work in March 1959 for John Morrell & Company, meat packers. Shortly after his employment by John Morrell he attended a three week training school at their plant in Ottumwa, Iowa. He worked as a sales representative for Morrell in Southeastern Arkansas until his retirement because of poor health in 1977.

At around the age of 40 he became interested in genealogy and with the encouragement and advice of his aunt, Johnnie Caldwell Files, began to research the Caldwell Family lineage...among others. His interest in genealogy and history influenced him to become a member of many hereditary and patriotic organizations; The Sons of the American Revolution, Arkansas #587, National #106087 on his descent from James Caldwell and ten other ancestors; the Magna Charta Barons, on descent from Henry de Bohun and others; the Arkansas Branch, Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, Arkansas #1, National #8932, Colonel Thomas Harris, (He served as Organizing and first Governor of this society in Arkansas, 1986-1987); the General Society of the War of 1812, William Fewell; the General Society of the Colonial Wars, John Basye; the Huguenot Society, Thomas Gascoigne; the Order of Three Crusades, 1096 - 1192, on descent from Hugh Magnus, Duke of France; the Military Order of Stars and Bars, John Henry Caldwell; the Sons of Confederate Veterans, Lemuel Joseph Caldwell and John Henry French and the Jamestowne Society on his descent from Colonel Thomas Harris a member of the Virginia Company who came to Virginia in 1611 aboard the ship Prosperous.

His wife of 35 years, Mary Emily Sawyer Caldwell, was born on the 15th of April 1929 in Monticello, Drew County, Arkansas, the daughter of Claudie Cater Sawyer and his wife Ruby Dorma Hogue. She attended public schools in Monticello, Arkansas A. &. M. College and graduated from the Arkansas Baptist School of Nursing in Little Rock, Arkansas as a Registered Nurse. She worked for a short time before marriage at the Drew County Memorial Hospital in Monticello. After moving to Pine Bluff in 1960 she went to work for Doctor John Walker an Obstetrician and Gynecologist. When he closed his practice in the mid 1960's she went to work for the Pine Bluff School District as a School Nurse where she is employed now, 1986.

Mary Emily and Bill are life-long Methodists. Since 1960 they have been members of Lakeside United Methodist Church in Pine Bluff, Arkansas where Mary Emily has been active in church work...teaching a "two year old" Sunday School class for over fifteen years. Mary Emily is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution on her descent from Joseph Gabbie who was a Revolutionary War Patriot living in York County, South Carolina.

Bill was organizing president of the Bayou Bartholomew Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution at Pine Bluff in 1978. He has served as State President of the SAR, Genealogist, Registrar, Historian and editor of the state society newsletter for many years.

MARY EMILY AND WILLIAM W. CALDWELL

1986

The author and his wife of 36 years are seen above in a photograph taken for the yearbook of the Lakeside United Methodist Church in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. A detailed biographical sketch of them will be found at G.115 in the persons section.

G.116 JOHN PAUL TYRONE (Son of Ozilla Frances Caldwell F.53)
b. 7 January 1944, Greenville, Washington Co., MS.
d.
m. (1). 22 August 1965, Fort Smith, Sebastian, AR.
To: Virginia Sue Walker, (divorced) No children.
m. (2). 7 January 1967, Little Rock, Pulaski, AR.
To: Betty Reeves.
Their Children: H.172
m. (3). 17 June 1972, Little Rock, Pulaski, AR.
To: Mary Lou Washington.
Their Children: H.173, H.174.

He was reared at McGehee, Desha County, Arkansas. At birth one of his eyes was injured limiting his vision and later as a small child the other eye was put out by a rock thrown by another child. Legally blind, he attended the Arkansas School for the Blind in Little Rock, Arkansas.

He worked as an attendant in the Psychiatric Ward of the Arkansas Baptist Hospital in Little Rock for several years and for Brown Packing Company (meat packers) in that city, as a radio dispatcher for the McGehee Police Department and currently (1986) as custodian at the McGehee Postoffice.

He manages the 240 acre farm in Ashley County near Parkdale which he inherited from his grandfather John Henry Caldwell, Sr. and a small cattle ranch near Selma in Drew County, Arkansas.

He has long been active in the Masonic Orders and is a member of the Scottish Rites Consistory in Little Rock.

He and his wife, Mary Lou, are members of the Baptist Church. She is the daughter of Louie James Washington and his wife Odessa Modean Wallace of Little Rock, Arkansas. She is employed as a city mail carrier in McGehee, Arkansas.

Despite his limited vision, John Paul has always been able to remain relatively active and independent, getting around with no apparent difficulty and holding jobs which do not require perfect vision. He is an avid hunter and member of a hunting club and is an amateur photographer.

G.117 LYNN MCDANIEL CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Paul Caldwell F.54)
b. 21 September 1948, Bastrop, Morehouse, LA.
d.
m. (1). 16 July 1967, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
To: Lloyd Cloud. (divorced 1971).
Their Children: none
m. (2). 23 April 1983, Little Rock, Pulaski, AR.
To: Everett LeVere (Jack) Stewart.
Their Children: none (1986).

She was adopted by her step-father, John Paul (Pete) Caldwell. Her first husband, Loyd Curtis Cloud, was from Gillete, AR.

Jack Stewart, her second husband, was born in Sherman, Texas on 25 December 1939, the son of Everett L. Stewart and Bernice Iona Jernigan Stewart. He was reared in Tuscaloosa, Alabama and in 1986 was employed by Philips-Westinghouse in Little Rock. Lynn attended the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, U of A, Monticello and U of A, Little Rock where she received her BS in Social Science. She was employed by Dillard Department Stores from 1977 to 1985. She is a member of St. James United Methodist Church in Little Rock where she and Jack sing in the Sanctuary Choir. She is a member of the Board of Directors of Project with Industry and the Pulaski County Republican Women.

G.118 ANN MCDANIEL CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Paul Caldwell F.54)
b. 7 January 1950, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, LA.
d.
m. (1). 1 January 1972, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
To: Jerry Royster. (divorced
Their Children: none.
m. (2). 18 April 1980, Little Rock, Pulaski, AR.
To: Lantis Wayne Ratcliff.
Their Children: none (1986).

She was adopted by her step-father, John Paul (Pete) Caldwell. Her first husband, Jerry Royster, was born 4 January 1940. Wayne Ratcliff, her second husband, was born on 8 June 1948 in Starkville, Ms., the son of Lantis Ratcliff and his wife Minnie Dell Phillips.

Ann is a member of St. James United Methodist Church in Little Rock, Arkansas. She attended Arkansas Polytechic College in Russellville, Arkansas for two years and Draughon School of Business in Little Rock for one year. From January 1979 to February 1983 she worked for the Worthen Bank and Trust Company in Little Rock. From then until the present (1986) she has worked for Pulaski Bank and Trust Company of Little Rock.

G.119 MARY FRANCES FILES (Dgtr of Johnnie Mae Caldwell F.57)
b. 9 November 1935, Little Rock, Pulaski, Arkansas.
d.
m. 15 February 1969, New York City, New York.
To: Nicholas Eugene Silitch.
Their Children: none.

Mary Frances was reared at Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas. She attended elementary school at Parkdale and high school at Wilmot, Arkansas. She graduated from All Saints Episcopal College for Women in Vicksburg, Mississippi in 1953. She received her BA degree in English at Southwestern College in Memphis, Tennessee. She attended the University of Colorado at Boulder and studied law at Memphis State University. She worked as a legal secretary for a time in Memphis.

In 1960 she moved to New York City and was employed by Madammoselle Magazine, from 1963 to 1964 she worked as copy editor for McGraw-Hill Publications (Today's Secretary and Business Education World), 1965 to 1967 she was production editor for Flying Magazine. For a time she worked for the Saturday Evening Post. In 1972 she went to work for Air Progress Magazine as managing editor and executive editor. Since that time she has worked as editor of the newsletter of the Airplane Owners and Pilots Association, editor of Water Flying and currently as editor of the house organ of the Seaplane Pilots Association (1986). She is a licensed pilot and she and her husband own a seaplane which they fly to many airshows throughout the nation. She regularly writes comprehensive and detailed articles on new and innovative aeronautic subjects of interest to members of the Seaplane Pilots Association. She and her husband, Nicholas, are both expert photographers and incorporate this talent with her articles.

Her husband, Nicholas Eugene Silitch, was born 15 November 1935 in Binghamton, New York, the son of Eugene Wladimir Silitch and his wife Elizabeth Bougher. His father was born in St. Petersburg, Russia in February, 1901 and died in Sacramento, California in 1976. His mother was born on 24 November 1909 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and died in Middleburg, Virginia in June 1979. He had two sons by a former marriage, Ian McVeigh Silitch, born 24 September 1960 and Nicholas Cameron Silitch, born 8 November 1961.

In 1977 they purchased a American Colonial Era house in Loudoun County, Viginia in the village of Unison which contained a log house constructed in about 1746. The house was subsequently enlarged in 1790 and 1810. The house, now a two story building, is a prime example of the architecture of the Colonial Era in piedmont Virginia. They have done extensive restoration work on the house and put in extensive plantings on the spacious grounds.

Nicholas is a book reviewer for the Washington Post newspaper and has written a book on aeronautics. One of his hobbies has been the restoration of antique automobiles.

G.120 PAULA MORRIS FILES (Dgtr of Johnnie Mae Caldwell F.57)
b. 14 December 1937, Lake Village, Chicot, Arkansas.
d.
m. never married.

Paula was reared and attended elementary school at Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas. She attended and graduated from Wilmot High School in nearby Wilmot, Arkansas in 1955. She attended Arkansas State Teachers College in Conway, Arkansas and Oklahoma State University in Stillwater, Oklahoma where she received her BS degree in Home Economics. After graduation she worked for one year for the Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company as a home economist. She interned for one year at King County Hospital in Seattle, Washington as a dietician and food service supervisor. She worked one year as a food service supervisor at the Baylor Hospital in Dallas, Texas. Subsequently, she was employed as a dietician at Virginia Mason Hospital in Seattle for 16 years. After returning to live in Parkdale, Arkansas, she was employed as a dietician and food service supervisor at Delta Medical Center, Greenville, Mississippi and the Chicot Memorial Hospital in Lake Village, Arkansas. She is currently (1986) living with her mother in Parkdale, managing rice and soybean farming interests there and acting as a consultant to nursing homes in the area. She is an avid sports fan and enjoys reading.

G.121 SUSANNE FILES (Dgtr of Johnnie Mae Caldwell F.57)
b. 16 November 1939, Lake Village, Chicot, Arkansas.
d.
m. (1). 13 August 1960, Parkdale, Ashley, Arkansas.
To: Robert Raiford Murphy. No children. (divorced).
m. (2). 10 June 1967, Wheaton, Maryland.
To: James Ronald Twentey. (divorced).
Their Children: H.175.
m. (3). 7 December 1984,
To: Martin Scott Flowers. No children.

Susanne was reared at Parkdale, attended elementary school there and attended High School at Wilmot, Arkansas where she graduated. She attended Southwestern at Memphis, 1956 - 57 and the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, 1958 - 59.

She has had a varied and interesting work history, from 1959-1960, State Farm Insurance Company, Claim Office, 1960-1961, Southwestern at Memphis, Development Office, 1961-1962, Memphis Furniture Manufacturing Company, Advertising office, 1962-1965, WKNO-TV, Continuity Director, all in Memphis, Tennessee. In 1965 she went to work as a secretary for the Planning Research Corporation, 1966-1967, Resource Management Corporation as a secretary both in Washington, DC. From 1969 to 1974 she was part owner and operator of Studio 20, a custom printing establishment, in Frederick, Maryland with her husband, James Ronald Twentey. Since 1974 she has been employed as deputy clerk of the Circuit Court at Frederick, Maryland.

She is a member of Brook Hill United Methodist Church and has been a Methodist all of her life.

She is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and served as Registrar of the Carrollton Manor Chapter in Frederick, a charter member of the Arkansas Branch, Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims on her descent from Colonel Thomas Harris who came to Jamestown in 1611. She is an avid and accomplished genealogist who has done extensive research on many of her family lines. She is a member of the Maryland Genealogical Society. In 1972 she published a comprehensive history of the Twentey Family of Frederick County, Maryland which won third prize in the Parker Genealogical Contest in Maryland.

Her second husband, James Ronald Twentey, the father of her only child, Mark William Twentey, was born on 4 May 1936 in Frederick, Maryland, the son of George Ross Twentey and Eva June Morgan. He married first, on 26 August 1955, Cathleen Carol Dickens and they had two children. He graduated from Frederick High School in 1954, served 18 months with the 24th Infantry Division in Korea. He was a technical illustrator for 11 years before starting his own printing business (Studio 20) in Frederick in 1969.

Martin Scott Flowers, her third husband, was born at Troy, Alabama on 14 February 1949, the son of Jack Turner Flowers and Gloria Miller Grant. He attended Troy Elementary School, Charles Henderson High School at Troy, Troy State University, The Citadel, Charleston, South Carolina, Samford University, Birmingham, Alabama and Frederick Community College, Frederick, Maryland. He served in the 101st Airborne, United State Army from 9 July 1970 to 12 January 1977 at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, Fort Rucker, Alabama, Fort Wolters, Texas, Fort Polk, Louisiana and in Korea. He attended Essential Medical Training for Medic Service Corps Aviators; Rotary Wing Flight Training and was a helicopter pilot with the rank of Chief Warrant Officer Second Class. He was awarded the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal and the Army Commendation Medal. He is a member of the First Baptist Church in Frederick, Maryland. Since 17 January 1977 he has been employed by the Maryland State Police as a Medivac Helicopter Pilot with the rank of Technical Corporal. He is a member of the Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge #69. His hobbies are gun collecting, shooting and photography.

G.122 JOHN HENRY CALDWELL, III (Son of John Henry Caldwell, Jr. F.58)
b. 21 July 1955, Lake Village, Chicot, Arkansas
d.
m. 28 June 1980, Little Rock, Pulaski County, AR.
To: Gina Wafer.
Their Children:

His early life was spent in Parkdale, Ashley County, Arkansas, where he started to school. In the early 1960's his family moved to Little Rock. He attended Junior High School at Cloverdale School in southwest Little Rock and graduated from McClelland High School in May, 1973. While in junior and senior high school he played in the school band.

Music was always his major interest in school and in life and when he attended Henderson State University at Arkadelphia, Arkansas, he majored in that field. In May 1977 he graduated from Henderson with a degree (BME) in music. During his school years he frequently played in local bands and churches.

After graduation from college he went to work as band director at Cloverdale Junior High from 1977 to 1980. He worked in the same capacity at the J. A. Fair Junior High in Little Rock from 1981 to 1983. In 1984 he was employed as a salesman for Henco Company, a fund raising firm, calling on area schools. In 1985 he returned to his high school alma mater, Mclelland High School, as band director.

His wife, Gina, was born on 16 August 1957 at Houston, Texas, the daughter of Arnold and Mildred Wafer. She is employed at the Saline Memorial Hospital, Benton, Arkansas as a secretary.

They are members of the Geyer Springs Baptist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas.

Current address: Route 5, Box 5386, Benton, AR 72015.

JOHN HENRY CALDWELL, SR.

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G.123 EDWARD ALEXANDER HOWIE (Son of Erma Ellen Caldwell F.60)
b. 04 March 1930, Parkdale, Ashley County, AR.
d.
m. 17 April 1954, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, LA.
To: Vera Robinson.
Their Children: H.176, H.177.

G.124 ROBERT HOUSTON HOWIE (Son of Erma Ellen Caldwell F.60)
b. 12 August 1931, Parkdale, Ashley County, AR.
d. 22 June 1932, Parkdale, Ashley County, AR.
buried: 23 June 1932.
place: Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Ashley Co., AR.

G.125 CAROLYN JOYCE HOWIE (Dgtr of Erma Ellen Caldwell F.60)
b. 28 March 1935, Mist, Ashley County, AR.
d.
m. 06 September 1953, Mt. Pleasant Ch., Ashley Co., AR.
To: Gerald Leon Clark.
Their Children: H.178, H.179.

Address (1986): 1403 Adam Road, Hammond, LA 70401.

G.126 JAMES CURTIS CALDWELL (Son of James Henry Caldwell F.61)
b. 27 October 1936, Hamburg, Ashley Co., AR.
d.
m. 04 October 1958, Sun Valley, California.
To: Shirley Roughten.
Their Children: H.180.

James is a land developer and builder. Shirley is a nurse. She was born on 26 January 1939 at Burbank, CA, the daughter of Murland and Mary Roughten. They are Baptists.
Address (1986) 1113 Dresden St., Anaheim, CA 92800.

G.127 KATIE ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Henry Caldwell F.61)
b. 07 July 1941, Crossett, Ashley County, AR.
d.
m. (1) 24 November 1958, Sun Valley, California.
To: Louie S. Dattile.
Their Children:
m. (2) September 1977,
To: Gifford Laville.
Their Children: H.131, H.182.

Her first husband, Louie S. Dattile, was born on 24 November 1935 in New York City, the son of Stanley and Gilda Dattile. He owned and operated a retail store. He died in July 1975.

She married, second, Gifford Laville, who was born on 20 June 1931. He operates a tool and die manufacturing firm.

Katie Ann is a member of the First Baptist Church in Sun Valley and works as a legal secretary.

Address (1986): 28860 Michelle Dr., Agoura, CA 91301.

G.128 SHARON CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Henry Caldwell F.61)
b. 20 June 1945, Torrance, California.
d.
m. 11 November 1967, Sun Valley, California.
To: Randy Petterson.
Their Children: H.183, H.184.

Sharon is a secretary. Her husband, Randy, is employed by Lockheed Aircraft Corporation. He was born on 18 March 1943 in Burbank, California, the son of Fred and Terry Petterson. They are members of the First Baptist Church in Sun Valley, California.

Address (1986): 28085 Whites Canyon, Canyon Country, CA 91350.

G.129 RODNEY DON CALDWELL (Son of James Henry Caldwell F.61)
b. 08 May 1950, Sun Valley, California.
d.
m. 25 August 1973,
To: Antoinette Collier.
Their Children: H.185.

Rodney is the owner and operator of an applicance store and is a salesman. His wife, Antoinette, was born on 09 August 1952 in Dublin, Ireland, the daughter of Alfie and Marie Collier. She is a real estate agent.

G.130 VICTOR EDWARD CALDWELL (son of Joseph Lemuel Caldwell F.62)
b. 04 May 1940, Glendale, CA.
d.
m. (1).
To: Judith Byer. (Divorced).
m. (2). 17 June 1961, Van Nuys, CA.
To: Judith Nan Reinhold.
Their Children: (1). H.186, (2). H.187, H.188, H.189.

His second wife, Judith, was born on 01 February 1940 at Dalhart, Texas, the daughter of Archibald Freeman Reinhold and his wife Lillian Faye Amick. Victor is a firefighter and owns a construction firm. Judith is a realtor. They are members of the First Presbyterian Church in Van Nuys, CA.

Address (1987): 41 Fallen Oaks, Thousand Oaks, CA 91360.

G.131 SHERRY KATHERINE EUNICE CALDWELL (dgtr of Joseph L. Caldwell F.62)
b. 04 January 1945, Glendale, CA.
d.
m. 17 February 1968, Westlake Village, CA.
To: Harry Richard Lesko.
Their Children: H.190, H.191, H.192, H.193.

Address (1986): 6502 Redpine Road, Dallas, TX 75248.

G.132 WINFRED CALDWELL ADAMS (Son of Catherine Caldwell F.63)
b. 20 September 1937, Parkdale, Ashley, AR.
d.
m. 26 December 1958, Jacksonville, Pulaski, AR.
To: Bonnie Muriel McCollum.
Their Children: H.194, H.195, H.196.

His wife, Bonnie Muriel McCollum, was born 25 June 1938 at Lonoke, Lonoke County, Arkansas, the daughter of Jeff McCollum and his wife Alice.

Address (1986): 113 Laurel Street, Jacksonville, AR 72076.

G.133 GLEENA LOUISE ADAMS (Dgtr of Catherine Caldwell F.63)
b.
d.
m.
To: Goodwin.
Their Children:

Address (1986): 3349 Cole Avenue, Simi Valley, CA 93063.

G.134 CARLA GAYE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Carl Raybon Caldwell F.65)
b. 21 April 1960, Pine Bluff, Jefferson, AR.
d.
m. (1) August 1976,
To: Steve Bostian. (divorced 1980, no children)
m. (2) 18 December 1983, Little Rock, Pulaski Co., AR.
To: Robert M. Hiett.
Their Children:

She graduated from Woodlawn High School, Woodlawn, AR and received her degree in Marketing at the University of Central Arkansas, Conway, AR. In 1987 she was employed by Radio Station KSSN in Little Rock, AR in the advertising sales department.

G.135 DARRYL RAY CALDWELL (Son of Carl Raybon Caldwell F.65)
b. 02 October 1963, Pine Bluff, Jefferson, AR.
d.
m. 20 May 1984, Cabot, Lonoke County, AR.
To: Kelly Yvette Utley.
Their Children:

He graduated from Woodlawn High School, Woodlawn, AR and the Spartan School of Aviation, Tulsa, OK. He is employed in the Avionics (electronic) Shop of American Airlines in Tulsa.

G.136 JACK LEWIS CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Jack Lewis Caldwell F.67)
b. 20 April 1940,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

According to L. J. "Doc" Caldwell he was adopted.

G.137 LINDA JO CALDWELL (Dgtr of Jack Lewis Caldwell F.67)
b. 02 June 1942,
d.
m. 26 June 1958, Houston, Harris County, TX.
To: Joseph Steven Soos, III.
Their Children: H.197, H.198, H.199, H.200.

G.138 TRACY CALDWELL (Dgtr of Jack Lewis Caldwell F.67)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.139 SANDRA KAY CALDWELL (Dgtr of Tom Joe Caldwell F.68)
b. 02 January 1947, Yale, Oklahoma.
d.
m. 28 May 1965,
To: Hubert F. Duren.
Their Children: H.201, H.202.

She attended Washington School and Drumwright High School, graduating in 1965. She worked for her father in his store, NuWay Grocery. Since 1972 she has beeen secretary-treasurer of Duren Electric Service, Incorporated. She is a Methodist. Her husband was born on 4 March 1944 at Cushing, OK, the son of Hubert F. Duren and his wife Alma Irene Hill. He is an electrical contractor.

G.140 WILLIAM PORTER CALDWELL (Son of Royall H. Caldwell F.73)
b. 26 November 1929, La Feria, Texas.
d.
m. 28 December 1950, Le Mars, Iowa .
To: Gladys Rachel Bowers.
Their Children: H.203, H.204, H.205, H.206, H.207.

His wife, Gladys Rachel Bowers, was born on 28 June 1930. They are members of the Methodist Church.

He is an Agricultural Scientist and served in the United States Navy. He has lived in Texas, Iowa, Minnesota, Mississippi, Alabama, California, Florida and Virginia.

She is a secretary.

Address (1986): 233 La Mesa, Lewisville, TX 75067.

G.141 MARGARET ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Royall Hutchings Caldwell F.73)
b. 20 June 1931, La Feria, Texas.
d.
m. 29 May 1959, La Feria, Texas.
To: Jess Stuart Gragg.
Their Children: H.208, H.209.

Her husband, Jess Stuart Gragg, was born on 23 August 1930 in San Antonio, Texas, the son of Perry Gragg and his wife Louise Pearce.

He served in the United States Marine Corp during the Korean War. He is in the insurance business and Margaret Ann is a school teacher. They are members of the Presbyterian Church.

Address (1986): 3503 William Penn, San Antonio, TX 78230.

G.142 JOHN THOMAS CALDWELL (Son of Royall Hutchings Caldwell F.73)
b. 26 June 1937, La Feria, Texas.
d.
m. 6 May 1961, San Rafael, California.
To: Elizabeth Ann Nickel.
Their Children: H.210, H.211.

In addition to living in La Feria, Texas, he has resided in San Jose, Pleasanton and Hayward, California and Los Alamos, New Mexico. He attended Rice University, Houston, Texas where he earned his bachelor's degree in 1959. He received his masters at San Jose State University in 1961 and his doctorate from the University of California, Davis, California in 1967.

He has worked for NASA, the Lawrence Laboratory, Livermore, California and L.A.L.N. He travels extensively throughout the United States as a nuclear physicist inspecting nuclear waste disposal sites and describes his job as that of a "nuclear garbageman".

John is a member of the Presbyterian Church.

He has been an invaluable source of a considerable amount of important material that has gone into this book, especially in providing data on his side of the Caldwell family. He is an accomplished genealogist and has traveled considerable distances and corresponded with many people while researching the Caldwell family lineage. The author and publisher of this book are deeply indebted to him for his assistance and encouragment.

His wife, Elizabeth Ann Nickel Caldwell, was born in San Rafael, California on 10 March 1938 at San Francisco, California, the daughter of Edwin John Nickel and his wife Elizabeth Julia Mees.

She has lived in San Francisco, Hayward, Pleasanton, California and Los Alamos, NM. She is a member of the Presbyterian Church.

From 1956 to 1961 she worked for Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, in a dress shop from 1976 to 1979 and now does mostly volunteer work in her church, local schools and other community activities. She is a member of the Los Alamos Piecemakers Quilting Guild..

Address (1986): 322 Kimberly, Los Alamos, NM 87544.

G.143 WILLIAM RALEIGH CALDWELL III (Son of Wm. R. Caldwell Jr. F.75)
b. 04 November 1947, Athens, Texas.
d.
m. 26 July 1975, Athens, Texas.
To: Bobbie Jean Bailey.
Their Children: H.212, H.213.

He is a graduate of Stephen F. Austin University with a BS in math and biology and a MA in sociology. He has a MSW degree from Louisiana State University. He is a correctional program administrator at Louisiana Training School at Monroe, LA. and teaches extension courses at LSU. His wife was born on 20 May 1949 at Freer, Texas, the daughter of Robert J. Bailey and his wife Ollie Mae Daniel. She is a Clinical Social Worker and has her BS degree from Sam Houston University, Huntsville, TX and her MSW degree from Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge, LA.

G.144 MARY KATHERINE CALDWELL (Dgtr of William R. Caldwell, Jr. F.75)
b. 24 July 1951, Athens, TX.
d.
m. 13 November 1971, Athens, TX.
To: Lonnie Dale Hortman.
Their Children: H.214.

She and her husband attended Henderson County Junior College in Athens, Texas. They are Baptists. She is an artist and pianist at the Northway Baptist Church in Anleton, Texas. Her husband was born on 24 December 1951 at Elkhart, Anderson County, Texas, the son of Marion F. Hortman and his wife Kathleen Barbee. He is a Computer Engineer with Dow Pipeline Company.

G.145 DEBRA JEAN CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Saxon Caldwell F.82)
b. 08 October 1959, USN Hospital, San Diego, CA.
d.
m. (1) 24 June 1977 (2) 04 September 1980.
To: (1) Timothy A. McClure (2). Leslie Ray Bryant.
Their Children: HH.36.

G.146 TAMMY PAULA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Joseph Norvelle Caldwell F.83)
b. 27 July 1964, Alexander City, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.147 EARL CALDWELL GOODWIN (Son of Mary Alice Caldwell F.84)
b. 05 March 1952, Alexander City, AL.
d.
m. 08 May 1972, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
To: Clardy Gail Maynard.
Their Children: HH.37, HH.38.

G.148 MICHAEL GOODWIN (Son of Mary Alice Caldwell F.84)
b. 11 August 1954, Alexander City, AL.
d.
m. 23 September 1972, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
To: Mary Ann Funderburk.
Their Children: HH.39, HH.40, HH.41.

G.149 LISA ANN GOODWIN (Dgtr of Mary Alice Caldwell F.84)
b. 24 December 1961, Opelika, Alabama.
d.
m.
To: Daryl Riersgard.
Their Children: HH.42.

G.150 WILLIAM JEFFERSON TATE (Son of Bonnie Lynn Caldwell F.86)
b. 28 September 1960,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.151 CHARLES BYRON TATE (Son of Bonnie Lynn Caldwell F.86)
b. 28 April 1965
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.152 DONNA LYNN TATE (Dgtr of Bonnie Lynn Caldwell F.86)
b. 6 September 1968,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.153 MARY LOU LOEMKER (Dgtr of Marion Whelchel F.87)
b. 3 May 1962
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.154 ELIZABETH LOEMKER (Dgtr of Marion Whelchel F.87)
b. 3 May 1963
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.155 ANNE MARGARET LOEMKER (Dgtr of Marion Whelchel F.87)
b. 14 May 1965, Greenwich, Connecticut.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.156 HOWARD EUGENE WHELCHEL (Son of John Franklin Whelchel F.88)
b. 13 April 1957, Tuscaloosa, Alabama.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.157 DONNAL MARIE WHELCHEL (Dgtr of John Franklin Whelchel F.88)
b. 29 May 1959, Birmingham, Jefferson County, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.158 JOHN CLARK WHELCHEL (Son of John Franklin Whelchel F.88)
b. 4 June 1963, Overland Park, Kansas.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.159 JOSEPH SCOTT HODGKINS (Son of Marilyn Louise Pope F.89)
b. 19 December 1963, Atlanta, Georgia.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.160 PHILLIP ALEXANDER HODGKINS (Son of Marilyn Louise Pope F.89)
b. 21 September 1967, Albany, Georgia.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.161 JOHN CLIETT HUDSON (Son of Mary Frances Cliett F.90)
b. 14 March 1959, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.162 JAMES RAY HUDSON, JR. (Son of Mary Frances Cliett F.90)
b. 11 December 1966, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.163 EMILY FRANCES UNDERWOOD (Dgtr of Emily Montgomery F.91)
b. 23 November 1962, Birmingham, AL. Cliett
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.164 CHARLOTTE HUNTER UNDERWOOD (Dgtr of Emily M. Cliett F.91)
b. 2 March 1965, Birmingham, Jefferson County, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.165 GERALD LEE BUSBY, JR. (Son of Florence S. Hurst F.93)
b. 2 June 1957,
d.
m.
Their Children:

G.166 BARBARA LANE BUSBY (Dgtr of Florence Sandra Hurst F.93)
b. 17 August 1960,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.167 WILLIAM TODD BARBER (Son of Harriett Hurst F.94)
b. 21 November 1962, Birmingham, Jefferson County, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He was adopted on 1 February 1963.

G.168 LINDA CAROL LOVVORN (Dgtr of Evelyn Caldwell F.95)
b. 8 September 1956, Birmingham, Jefferson County, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.169 SANDY LEIGH LOVVORN (Ch of Evelyn Caldwell F.95)
b. 11 December 1960, Birmingham, Jefferson County, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

G.170 DAVID ALAN CALDWELL (Son of James LeRoy Caldwell F.108)
b. 9 June 1968, Atlanta, Georgia.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He grew up in Atlanta, GA and Monroe, LA. In 1986 he was attending Baylor School (Prep school) at Chattanooga, TN and expected to graduate in May, 1987. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church. In 1983 he took a globe encircling tour with his father, James LeRoy Caldwell and spent two summers in Hong Kong, British Commonwealth.

Address (1986): 2106 Redwood Drive, Monroe, LA 71201.

H.1 DOYLE ELAINE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Edgar D. Caldwell, Jr.
b. 4 February 1936, Sylacauga, Talledaga, AL. G.1)
d.
m. (1). 3 February 1956, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: James A. Schell. (divorced).
Their Children:
m. (2). 10 June 1967, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Robert Jack Mitchem.
Their Children: I.1, I.2.

She is a member of the First Baptist Church, Sylacauga, Alabama. Her first husband, James A. Schell, was born on 18 January 1935 in Sylacauga, Alabama, the son of James T. Schell and Edna Hicks. They are divorced.

Her second husband, Robert Jack Mitchem, was born at Oxford, Alabama, the son of Robert Clarence Mitchem and Eunice Luker.

She is employed by Brown Insurance Agency, Sylacauga, Alabama as a claims clerk (1986). Her husband is vice president of the First National Bank, Sylacauga, Alabama. Address: Elaine C. Mitchem, 503 Country Club Road, Sylacauga, AL 35150.

H.2 ELIZABETH SUE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Edgar D. Caldwell, Jr. G.1)
b. 17 December 1939, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1) 21 August 1960, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Jimmy Milton Cross.
Their Children: I.3, I.4.
m. (2). 8 April 1979, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Glenn Daniel.
Their Children:

She is a member of the First Baptist Church, Sylacauga, Alabama. Her first husband, Jimmy Milton Cross, was born in Shelby County, Alabama on 4 September 1937, the son of Alonza William Cross and Mildred Clark. He died in June 1980 in Galveston, Texas and was buried in Gadsden, Etowah County, Alabama.

Her second husband, Glenn Daniel, was born 31 August 1937 in San Angelo, Texas, the son of Robert Daniel and Opal Gerdins.

Address: Sue C. Daniel, P.O. Box 646, Bonham, Texas 75418.

H.3 RUFUS WATSON CAMPBELL (Son of Ruth Edna Caldwell G.2)
b. 2 November 1935, New Orleans, Louisiana.
d.
m. 31 March 1956, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.
To: Lenelle Ann Malbrough.
Their Children: I.5, I.6, I.7.

They are members of the Calvary Baptist Church, New Orleans, LA. His wife was born 26 August 1937 in New Orleans, Louisiana, daughter of Howard Paul Malbrough and Laura Ann LeCompte. Address: Lenelle M. Campbell, 2168 S. Glencove Lane, Gretna, LA 70056.

H.4 ELVIE IONE CAMPBELL (Dgtr of Ruth Edna Caldwell G.2)
b. 17 January 1937, New Orleans, Louisiana.
d.
m. 9 August 1958, New Orleans, Louisiana.
To: Warren Orville Griffin.
Their Children: I.8, I.9.

They are members of the Baptist Church. He was born 14 February 1936 in Florida, the son of W. O. Griffin and Lula Griffin.
He served in the United States Air Force from 1954 to 1958.
Address: Edna C. Campbell, 104 Shirley Street, Belle Chasse, LA 70037.

H.5 EMMA LOU CAMPBELL (Dgtr of Ruth Edna Caldwell G.2)
b. 12 July 1945, New Orleans, Louisiana.
d.
m. 27 August 1966, New Orleans, Louisiana.
To: Donald Robert Magee.
Their Children: I.10.

They are members of the Broadmore Baptist Church, Shreveport, Louisiana.
Her husband, Donald Robert Magee, was born 12 October 1944 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, the son of Robert Magee and his wife Nancy. He served in the United States Air Force, 1969 to 1973.
Address: (Her mother), Edna C. Campbell, 104 Shirley Street, Belle Chasse, LA 70037.

H.6 ROMONA JEAN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Arnold Eugene Caldwell G.3)
b. 03 November 1943, Bessemer, Jefferson, AL.
d. 26 January 1962, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.

Killed in an automobile accident while enroute home while a student at Samford College in Birmingham, Alabama.

H.7 JUDITH ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Arnold Eugene Caldwell G.3)
b. 20 June 1946, Gadsden, Etowah Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

Served as Dean of Women of Emory University, Atlanta, GA. Presently (1985), Supervisor and Instructor of Personnel Training for A. T. & T. with headquarters in Orlando, Florida.

H.8 RALPH KEETON WILLIAMS (Son of Miriam Virginia Caldwell G.4)
b. 13 August 1948, Lockhart, Caldwell Co., TX.
d.
m. 10 May 1968, Lockhart, Caldwell County, TX.
To: Patricia Lou Wilson.
Their Children: I.11, I.12.

They are members of the Baptist Church. His wife, Patricia Lou Wilson, was born 15 May 1948 in Lockhart, Texas, the daughter of William Boone Wilson and Norma Estelle Seeliger.
Address: Ralph K. Williams, Creedmoor Rural Station, Austin, Texas 78747.

H.9 NORMA LEE WILLIAMS (Dgtr of Miriam V. Caldwell G.4)
b. 21 January 1953, Lockhart, Caldwell Co., TX.
d.
m. 3 July 1976, Lockhart, Caldwell County, TX.
To: Lawrence (Larry) Ehrig.
Their Children: I.13, I.14.

They are members of the Methodist Church in Gonzales, Texas. Her husband, Larry Ehrig, was born 12 December 1949 in Gonzales, Texas, the son of Bert O. Ehrig, Sr. and Greta Treken.
Address: Norma W. Ehrig, Rt. 5, Box 120, Gonzales, Tesas 78629.

H.10 JUDITH LYNN BROWN (Dgtr of Ellie Jim Caldwell G.5)
b. 4 January 1947, Miami, Dade County, Florida.
d.
m. 9 March 1968, Miami, Dade County, Florida.
To: Billy Ransome Ballance.
Their Children: I.15, I.16.

They are members of the Baptist Church. Her husband was born on 14 April 1947 in Four Oaks, North Carolina the son of Battle Ransome Ballance and Julia Hargis.
She is employed as a secretary. He is an officer of Special Investigation with the United States Air Force.
Address: (Mother) Ellie Jim Brown, 3648 S.E. 31st Terrace, Ocalla, Florida 32671.

H.11 JUNE GAIL BROWN (Dgtr of Ellie Jim Caldwell G.5)
b. 7 June 1948, Miami, Dade County, Florida.
d.
m. 5 September 1970, Miami, Dade County, Florida.
To: Max Chandler.
Their Children: I.17, I.18.

They are members of the Baptist Church. Her husband, Max Chandler, was born 4 February 1950 and was raised by his uncle, Max Zelder and his wife Marietta Zelder. He is a Chief Petty Officer in the United States Coast Guard.

H.12 WAYNE DOUGLAS NIX (Son of Doris Hellen Caldwell G.6)
b. 4 March 1951, Jackson, Hinds County, MS.
d.
m. 11 April 1981, Gulfport, Harrison County, MS.
To: Robbie Jean Combs.
Their Children: I.19, I.20.

She is a member of the Baptist Church in Gulfport, Mississippi. She was born on 22 February 1951 in Canton, Madison County, Mississippi the daughter of John Combs and Mattie Collins.
Address: (mother) Doris C. Nix, 3526 N. Hines, Jackson, MS 39212.

H.13 JOEL RAY NIX (Son of Doris Hellen Caldwell G.6)
b. 8 May 1953, Jackson, Hinds County, Mississippi.
d.
m. 10 July 1976, Jackson, Hinds Co., Mississippi.
To: Denise Railsback.
Their Children: I.21, I.22.

They are members of the Baptist Church in Jackson, Mississippi. She was born 22 May 1954 in Jackson, Mississippi, the daughter of Lee L. Railsback and Maudell Perkins.

H.14 MELBA ANNE CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Bradford Caldwell G.7)
b. 15 April 1941, Daytona, Volusia County, FL.
d.
m. (1). 6 January 1959, Opelika, Lee County, Alabama.
To: Jerry Henley Greene.
Their Children: I.23.
m. (2).
To: Herman Douglas Allison.
Their Children: I.24.

She is a member of the Presbyterian Church. Her first husband, Jerry Henley Greene was born 29 August 1938 at Renfroe, Talladega County, Alabama, the son of William Austin Greene, Jr. and his wife. He died on 21 October 1961 at Renfroe and is buried in the Hepzibah Cemetery in Talladega County, Alabama.

Her second husband, Herman Douglas Allison, was born 28 August 1938 at Monroeville, Monroe County, Alabama, the son of James Herman Allison and Thelma Richardson.

Melba Ann received her BS degree at Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama, her MS degree at Samford University, Birmingham, Alabama and is a Kindergarten teacher at Vestavia, Jefferson County, Alabama.

Address: Melba C. Baird, Box 2081, Vestavia, Alabama 35216.

H.15 CAROLYN JOY CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Everett Caldwell G.9)
b. 26 July 1932, Cedartown, Polk County, GA.
d.
m. 28 April 1951
To: Jack Norman Ray.
Their Children: II.1, II.2, II.3. (appendix)

H.16 PHYLIS JANE CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Everett Caldwell G.9)
b. 11 September 1936, Childersburg, Alabama.
d.
m. 27 September 1957, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.
To: James Raymond Kallenbach.
Their Children: I.25, I.26, I.27.
m. (2). 9 May 1980, Park Forrest, Illinois.
To: Ward Joseph Milkins.
Their Children:

She is a member of the First Baptist Church in Childersburg, Alabama.

Her second husband, Ward Joseph Milkins, was born on 20 July 1920 in Chicago, Illinois, the son of Ward Freemont Milkins and Elsie Heidi Stevens. He was a member of Calvary Methodist Church in Chicago.

Address: Phylis Caldwell Milkins, 1216 4th Avenue, Childersburg, Alabama 35044.

H.17 LINDA ELAINE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Graham G. Caldwell, Sr. G.11)
b. 2 February 1951, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 7 January 1972, Siluria, Shelby County, AL.
To: Dennis L. Jernigan. (divorced).
Their Children: I.28.

She is a member of the Living Word (Full Gospel) Church in Sylacauga, Alabama.

Her husband, Dennis L. Jernigan, was born 16 September 1949 in Hueytown, Jefferson County, Alabama.

H.18 TERRY SUSAN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Graham Gerald Caldwell, Jr.
b. 3 March 1953, Sylacauga, Talladega Co., AL. G.11)
d.
m. (1). 6 October 1972, Alpine, Talladega County, AL.
To: Ralph Harlan Ponder.
m. (2). 5 April 1985, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Jerry Jackson Sellers.
Their Children: (1) I.29, I.30.
Their Children: (2)

She is a member of Cragdale Baptist Church, Talladega, Alabama. Ralph Harlan Ponder, her first husband, was born 12 October 1952 in Talladega, Alabama, the son of William Harvey Ponder and Mary Hendon. Her second husband, Jerry Jackson Sellers, was born 25 April 1943 in Talladega, Alabama, the son of Louie Sellers and Catherine Blackerby. He is a member of the Baptist Church.

H.19 SANDRA LYNN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Graham G. Caldwell, Jr.
b. 8 July 1957, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL. G.11)
d.
m. December 1980, Sylacauga, Talladega County, AL.
To: Leroy Neville.
Their Children: I.31

She is a member of the Baptist Church in Alpine, Alabama. Her husband, Leroy Neville, was born 16 March 1954, the son of Johnny Neville and Minnie Lee Hughston. He is a member of Hepzibah Baptist Church in Talladega County, Alabama.

H.20 GRAHAM GERALD CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Graham G. Caldwell
b. 5 January 1959, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL. G.11)
d.
m. 25 April 1980, Sylacauga, Talldega County, AL.
To: Deborah Lee Head.
Their Children: I.32.

They are members of the Baptist Church in Talladega, Alabama. She is the daughter of Benson Leroy Head and Shirley Creel and was born on 12 July 1961 in Union Springs, Bullock County, Alabama. Address: (mother) Mrs. Graham Caldwell, Route 2, Alpine, AL 35014.

H.21 WILLIAM SAXON CALDWELL (Son of Annie Pauline Saxon G.12)
b. 12 October 1927, Jefferson County, AL.
d. 05 August 1983, Milledgeville, GA.
m.
To: Martha A. Buhakka.
Their Children: I.33.

H. 22 JOSEPH NORVELLE CALDWELL (Son of Annie P. Saxon G.12)
b. 03 December 1928, Goodwater, AL.
d. 05 Sep 1981, Birmingham, AL.
m. 17 September 1960, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Betty Lou (Carlton) Fulton.
Their Children: I.34.

H. 23 MARY ALICE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Annie Pauline Saxon G.12)
b. 12 March 1933, Goodwater, AL.
d. 27 May 1986,
m. 09 June 1950
To: Earl C. Goodwin.
Their Children: G.147, G.148, G.149.

H. 24 GARLAND SAXON WARD (Son of Ludie Mae Kathryn Saxon G.15)
b. 16 February 1935, Goodwater, Coosa, AL.
d.
m. 18 April 1977, (now divorced)
To: Caroline Dunning.
Their Children:

H. 25 DONALD RAY SAXON (Son of Henry Pierce Saxon G.16)
b. 16 October 1940, Goodwater, Coosa, AL.
d.
m. (1). November 1961, Rockford, Coosa, AL.
To: Patricia deBrigard.
Their Children: I.35, I.36, I.37.
m. (2). 16 October 1976, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Sara Nell Smith.

He is a member of the Baptist church. His first wife, Patricia debrigard, was born 20 April 1942 in Columbia, South America the daughter of John deBrigard and his wife Maria Espinosa.

Sara Nell Smith, his second wife, was born 24 April 1948 in Sylacauga, Alabama, the daughter of Hubert Edward Smith and his wife Agnes Lightsey. She is a Baptist.

He has worked for Delta Air Lines in Atlanta, Georgia, Kimberly Clark Paper Mill in Childersburg, Alabama and Dixie Construction Company in Birmingham, Alabama.

Address (1986): Route 2, Box 149-S, Sylacauga, AL 35150.

H. 26 GLENDA KAY SAXON (Dgtr of Henry Pierce Saxon G.16)
b. 26 June 1945, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
m. (1). To: Jerry Fuller.
m. (2). 15 August 1978 To: Dr. Ben Tyber.
Their Children: (1). I.38

H. 27 PAUL THOMAS LANGLEY (Son of Edith Eliz. Saxon G.17)
b. 06 March 1944, Fairhope, Baldwin County, AL.
d.
m. 22 February 1970,
To: Jean Coleman. (divorced)
Their Children: I.39.

His wife was born on 16 August 1948 at Macon, Georgia, the daughter of Woodrow Coleman and his wife Evelyn. He is supervisor of training at Russell Mills in Alexander City, Alabama.

H. 28 JOE WAYNE KNEZEVICH (Son of Sarah Frances Saxon G.18)
b. 12 August 1944, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children: II.4, II.5. (appendix)

H. 29 JAMES OTIS DRUMMONDS, JR. (Son of Elva Elise Hare G.20)
b. 01 August 1950, Pell City, St. Clair Co., AL.
d. 15 July 1969, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.
m. 08 November 1968, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
To: Blanche Virginia Henley.
Their Children:

His wife was born on 22 April 1953 in Talladega, AL, the daughter of Jimmie Carson Henley and his wife Emily Pate. James Otis Drummonds is buried in the Grasmere Cemetery, Talladega County, AL.

H. 30 CHARLES EDWARD STRICKLAND (Son of John T. Strickland G.25)
b. 18 July 1935, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m. 05 September 1953,
To: Elizabeth Frances Germany.
Their Children: II.6, II.7, II.8, II.9, II.10, II.11.

H. 31 MARION ALLEN STRICKLAND (Son of John T. Strickland G.25)
b. 05 September 1937, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m. 01 August ,
To: Sue Mae Cable.
Their Children: II.12, II.13, II.14.

H. 32 PATRICIA ANN STRICKLAND (Dgtr of John T. Strickland G.25)
b. 20 May 1941, Alpine, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m. 20 May 1960,
To: Herbert Cephus Hurst.
Their Children: II.15. (appendix)

H. 33 REBECCA SUE STRICKLAND (Dgtr of John T. Strickland G.25)
b. 03 November 1944, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:

H. 34 JAMES HOWARD STRICKLAND (Son of Walter C. Strickland, Sr.
b. 28 July 1941, Childersburg, Talladega Co., AL. (G.26)
d.
m. 08 August 1964, Childersburg, TAlladega, AL.
To: Gwendell Barber.
Their Children: I.40, I.41.

H. 35 WALTER CHARLES STRICKLAND, JR.(Son of Walter C. Strickland
b. 12 March 1944, Childersburg, Talladega, AL. G.26)
d.
m. 16 April 1963, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Patricia Ann Castleberry.
Their Children: I.42, I.43, I.44, I.45.

H. 36 JO ANNE STRICKLAND (Dgtr of Walter Charles Strickland G.26)
b. 31 March 1948, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 15 Junel965, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
To: Bobby Howard LaTaste.
Their Children: I.46, I.47, I.48.

Her husband born 02 June 1946, Anniston, AL.

H. 37 BETTY ANN MCKEE (Dgtr of Mary Ann Strickland G.28)
b. 03 October 1939, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 23 August 1958, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Donald Ray Price.
Their Children: I.49, I.50.

Her husband was born on 24 February 1937 in Sylacauga, AL, the son of Huffman Price and his wife Adell Mizzell.

H. 38 JOYCE PHYLISS MCKEE (Dgtr of Mary Ann Strickland G.28)
b. 23 July 1942, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d. 12 November 1960,
m. 07 February 1959
To: Jackie Chandler.
Their Children:

H. 39 JACKIE RAY MCKEE (Dgtr of Mary Ann Strickland G.28)
b. 16 November 1944, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d. 29 August 1945

H. 40 JANICE FAYE MCKEE (Dgtr of Mary Ann Strickland G.28)
b. 16 November 1944, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 02 March 1963, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: James Lamar Bearden.
Their Children: I.51, I.52.
m. (2). 05 August 1972,
To: Charles H. Pettus.
Their Children: I.53.

H. 41 LINDA GAIL MCKEE (Dgtr of Mary Ann Strickland G.28)
b. 17 March 1946, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1). 24 March 1963, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Frank Gene Graham.
Their Children: I.54, I.55.
m. (2). 23 July 1968, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Jerry Allen Dees.
Their Children: I.56.

H. 42 MARY NELL MCKEE (Dgtr of Mary Ann Strickland G.28)
b. 17 March 1946, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1). 29 June 1963, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Edward Earl Castleberry.
Their Children: I.57, I.58.
m. (2). 14 March 1985, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Elvin Junior Rayfield.
Their Children:

H. 43 MARGARET LUCEAL MCKEE (Dgtr of Mary Ann Strickland G.28)
b. 12 January 1949, Fayetteville, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 04 January 1965, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Kenneth Allen Dupree.
Their Children: I.59.

H. 44 PRESTON RANDALL MCKEE (Son of Mary Ann Strickland G.28)
b. 14 February 1953, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 03 March 1972, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.(2) 14 FEB 1984.
To: Connie Marie Matson. (2): Cynthia Royal.
Their Children:(1) I.60, I.61. (2) I.62.

H. 45 CATHERINE MARIE HARDEE (Dgtr of Emma Jo Strickland G.30)
b. 25 July 1941, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 16 August 1963, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
To: Gerald Gordon Campbell.
Their Children:I.63, I.64.

H. 46 MARTHA SUE HARDEE (Dgtr of Emma Jo Strickland G.30)
b. 07 March 1943, Talladega, AL.
d. 07 March 1943.

H. 47 HOWARD GARY HARDEE (Son of Emma Jo Strickland G.30)
b. 17 June 1954, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 17 August 1980, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
To: Mary Lucille Hutton.
Their Children: I.65, I.66, I.67.

H. 48 JUDY MAXINE FINN (Dgtr of Willie Fiantha Strickland G.31)
b. 17 November 1948, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 13 September 1971, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Marlin E. Crawford.
Their Children: I.68, I.69, I.70.

H. 49 MARTHA DIANE FINN (Dgtr of Willie Fiantha Strickland G.31)
b. 25 July 1952, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To: Jorge Fallas.
Their Children: I.71.

H. 50 IRA TIMOTHY FINN (Son of Willie Fiantha Strickland G.31)
b. 6 January 1960, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 10 August 1981, Niceville, FL.
To: Lisa Marie Adair.
Their Children: I.72, I.73.

H. 51 SHIRLEY ANN STRICKLAND (Dgtr of William E. Strickland G.32)
b. 16 October 1946, Bennettsville, SC.
d.
m. 13 July 1963, Rockford, Coosa, AL.
To: Donald Casper Rainwater
Their Children: I.74, I.75.
(She was adopted)

H. 52 PAULA EDWINA STRICKLAND (Dgtr of William E. Strickland G.32)
b. 07 August 1954, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 26 November 1971, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
To: Jimmy Randall Kissic.
Their Children: I.76, I.77.

H. 53 DEBORAH LYNN STRICKLAND (Dgtr of William E. Strickland G.32)
b. 07 December 1956, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 02 February 1971,
To: Jimmy Goins
Their Children: I.78.

H. 54 WILLIAM SHERMAN STRICKLAND (Son of William E. Strickland G.32)
b. 04 June 1961, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H. 55 MARY FRANCES ARMBRESTER (Dgtr of Frances C. Maxwell G.33)
b. o6 February 1938, Renfroe, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 07 February 1957, Renfroe, Talladega, AL.
To; Harvey Gunter Hubbard.
Their Children: I.79, I.80, I.81.

H. 56 KYNNION ROBERT MAXWELL (Son of Kinnion J. Maxwell G.34)
b. 04 August 1942, Nashville, TN.
d.
m. 07 September 1960, Pensacola, FL.
To: Mildred Elizabeth Mendias.
Their Children: I.82, I.83, I.84.
m. (2). Pamela Powell (3). Martha Ann Carter.

H. 57 ARTHUR RAY MAXWELL (Son of Kinnion J. Maxwell G.34)
b. 17 January 1944, Evansville, IN.
d.
m. 10 November 1965, Chicago, IL.
To: Joyce Ann Alexander.
Their Children: I.85, I.86.

H. 58 JOHNNY EARL MAXWELL (Son of William A. Maxwell, Jr. G.35)
b. 20 September 1940, Munford, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 10 October 1959, Munford, Talladega, AL.
To: Dorothy Mae Mann.
Their Children: I.87, I.88, I.89, I.90.

H. 59 NELDA IRIS PARNELL (Dgtr of Johnnie Eloise Maxwell G.37)
b. 18 May 1941, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 19 August 1960, Munford, Talladega, AL.
To: Jimmy Fowler Nelson.
Their Children: I.91, I.92, I.93, I.94.

H. 60 BRENDA GAIL PARNELL (Dgtr of Johnnie Eloise Maxwell G.37)
b. 01 August 1946, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 07 October 1967, Munford, Talladega, AL.
To: Rodney Nelson Hall, Sr.
Their Children: I.95, I.96.

H. 61 MURRAY EARL CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Murray Earl Caldwell G.39)
b. 20 March 1953, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 1 August 1981, Cocoa Beach, Brevard County, FL.
To: Deborah Jane Walls.
Their Children: I.97

His wife, Deborah Jane Walls, was born 1 June 1951, the daughter of Ralph Walls and Estelle_____.

H. 62 EMMETTE PASCHAL CALDWELL (Son of Mary Rutelia Caldwell G.40)
b. 16 September 1943, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1). 25 October 1963, Ohatchee, Calhoun County, AL.
To: Christine Schuler.
Their Children: I.98, I. 99.
m. (2). 02 July 1974 To: Marjorie Lois Foster.

His first wife, Christine Schuler, was born 19 July 1942 at Commerce, Jackson County, Georgia, the daughter of Dale Schuler and Nellie Daniel. She is a member of Boiling Springs Baptist Church, Calhoun County, Alabama. His second wife was born on 16 May 1930 in Sylacauga, Alabama, the daughter of William H. Foster and his wife Clercie Belle Strickland. They are Baptists.

H. 63 WILLIAM LEE MORROW (Son of Mary Rutelia Caldwell G.40)
b. 20 April 1947, Pell City, St. Clair, AL.
d.
m. 30 June 1968,
To: Barbara Ann Edwards.
Their Children:

H. 64 MARILYN GRACE MORROW (Dgtr of Mary Rutelia Caldwell G.40)
b. 15 October 1955, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 12 May 1979, Hepzibah Church, Talladega Co., AL.
To: Edwin Van Alford.
Their Children: I.100, I.101.

H.65 ASHLEY LEONIDAS CAMP, III (Son of Leta Mae Knight G.52)
b. 4 February 1947, Anniston, Calhoun Co., AL.
d.
m. never married.

He was born with Downs Syndrome.

H.66 CARY FRANKLIN CAMP (Son of Leta Mae Knight G.52)
b. 4 October 1952, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m. 30 December 1978, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Shirley Jean Wesson.
Their Children: I.102

He graduated from Palmer College of Chiropractic as a Doctor of Chiropractic in March, 1976 and practices in Talladega.

He is a member of the Church of Christ in Munford, Alabama, a member of the Alabama State Chiropractic Association and the American Chiropractic Association.

His wife, Shirley Jean Wesson, was born 14 May 1950 in Talladega, Alabama, the daughter of Thurston Woodrow Wesson and Thelma Inez Brown.

Address: Dr. Cary F. Camp, 305 North Street, Talladega, Alabama.

H.67 BRUCE ANTHONY CAMP (Son of Leta Mae Knight G.52)
b. 11 August 1958, Talladega, Talladega County, AL.
d.
m. 3 November 1984, Bowden, Carroll County, GA.
To: Sandra Leigh Wiggins.
Their Children:

He received his BS degree from Auburn University, Auburn, AL in March 1980, his DMD from the University of Alabama School of Dentistry, Birmingham, AL in May 1984 and worked in a post-graduate program at the Oklahoma Health Science Center and Oklahoma Children's Memorial Hospital, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma until completion in June 1985. He has worked as a Doctor of Medical Dentistry in Villa Rica, Georgia since July 1985. He is a member of the Church of Christ, Munford, AL.

His wife, Sandra Leigh Wiggins, was born 27 September 1961 in Rome, Floyd County, GA, the daughter of Johnny L. Wiggins and Sara Will Lovvorn. She was a member of the Methodist Church in Bowden, GA.

She received her BS degree in Pharmacy from Auburn University in June 1984 and has been employed as a Pharmacist at Anniston Memorial Hospital, Anniston, Alabama since August 1985.

Address: Dr. Bruce A. Camp, P. O. Box 58, Villa Rica, GA 30180

H. 68 BARBARA SUE CHAPPELL (dgtr of Lois Mildred Hudson G.54)
b. 13 March 1955, Shreveport, Bossier, LA.
d.
m. 01 May 1983, Dundee, Scotland.
To: Stephen B. Hopper.
Their Children:

Her husband was born 21 November 1956 in Falls Church, VA, the son of Max Dean Hopper and his wife Marilyn June Hickethair. He is Chief Resident, Department of Psychiatry, University of Oklahoma. She is a Registered Nurse attending the College of Dentistry at Oklahoma University and will graduate in June, 1986.
Address (1987): 5215 S.E. 12th, Del City, OK 73115.

H. 69 BURT ALAN CHAPPELL (son of Lois Mildred Hudson G.54)
b. 17 July 1956, Tinker Air Force Base, OK.
d.
m. 30 May 1981, Midwest City, OK.
To: Sandra Lenore Seglem.
Their Children:

He is a graduate of Texas Chiropractic College, Pasadena, TX and received his Doctorate in Chiropractic there in December 1985. His wife was born on 12 July 1958 at Travis AFB, CA, the daughter of Clair L. Seglem and his wife Betty Sue Hoskins. She has a masters degree in Communication Disorders from the University of Oklahoma.
Address (1987): 5215½ S.E. 12th, Del City, OK 73115.

H. 70 BRENDA ANN CHAPPELL (dgtr of Lois Mildred Hudson G.54)
b. 27 November 1961, Edwards Air Force Base, CA.
d.
m. , Amarillo, TX.
To: Thomas Frank DuVerney.
Their Children: II.79, II.80. (Appendix)

She attended Oscar Rose Junior College and Central State University and has an Associate Degree in Psychology. She is an interpreter for the deaf. Her husband was born 8 January 1951 at Chicago, IL, the son of Daniel and Madeline Tovar DuVerney. He is a law student.

H. 71 TROY ALLEN JEFFCOAT (son of Virginia W. Rorie G.56)
b. 30 October 1964,
d.
m. To:

H. 72 MICHAEL ELWARD THOMAS (son of Patricia Ann Rorie G.57)
b. 06 December 1948,
d.
m. To:

H. 73 RONALD RORIE THOMAS (son of Patricia Ann Rorie G.56)
b. d.
m. To:

H.74 JOAN RENEE MACOMISH (Dgtr of Joan Juanita Rorie G.58)
b. 29 September 1960, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.
d.
m. 22 May 1982, Leeds, Jefferson County, AL.
To: John L. Fairchild.
Their Children: I.103, I.104.

She is a member of the Baptist Church. Her husband, John L. Fairchild, was born 28 May 1955 at Hattiesburg, Forrest County, Mississippi, the son of L. A. Fairchild. He is a member of the Baptist Church.

Address: David G. Macomish (father), Rt. 1, Box 899-B, Leeds, Alabama 35094.

H.75 RICHARD ARNOLD CALDWELL (Son of Marion Dewitt Caldwell G.59)
b. 20 November 1949, Jasper, Walker Co., AL.
d.
m. 3 April 1971, Mobile, Mobile County, AL.
To: Frankie Amelia Gandy.
Their Children: I.105, I.106.

He is an assistant manager of a Wal-Mart store. His wife, Frankie Amelia Gandy, was born 26 July 1949 in Fort Worth, Texas, the daughter of William Houston Gandy and Sophie Bigott.

Address: Richard A. Caldwell, 604 Second Avenue, Troy, AL 36081.

H.76 MICHAEL DEWITT CALDWELL (Son of Marion D. Caldwell G.59)
b. 18 November 1950, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 19 February 1971, Donaldsonville, Seminole, GA.
To: Gloria Susan Tomlin.
Their Children: I.107, I.108, I.109.

They are members of the Church of God Prophecy of which he is a minister. She was born 19 November 1953 at Mobile, Alabama the daughter of James N. Tomlin and Catherine Davis. She is a nurse.

H.77 RALPH LYNN MURPHY (Son of Eleanor Sallieta Caldwell G.60)
b. 5 July 1949, Montgomery, Montgomery, AL.
d.
m. 12 March 1977, Snellville, GA.
To: Christina Mary Kaucher.
Their Children: I.110, I.111.

He is a member of the Baptist Church. She was born 11 June 1954 in Asbury Park, New Jersey, the daughter of Frederick Wendell Kaucher and Sabina Alexandria Syncowsky.

Address (mother): Eleanor C. Murphy, 3921 Ebenezer Road, N. E., Marietta, GA 30066.

H.78 HOYT MILFORD MURPHY (Son of Eleanor S. Caldwell G.60)
b. 9 August 1955, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 20 September 1975, Marietta, GA.
To: Susan Merle Blackwell.
Their Children: I.112, I.113.

They are members of the Baptist Church. She was born 23 September 1955 in Marietta, GA, the daughter of John Blackwell and Louise Merle Dyson.

H.79 KAY ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Eschol Douglas Caldwell G.61)
b. 5 January 1958, Koza City, Okinawa.
d.
m. 4 September 1976, Key Largo, Dade County, FL.
To: Gary Duane Barnett, Jr.
Their Children: I.114, I.115.

She was adopted from Okinawa.

H.80 CHARLES ROBERT CALDWELL (Son of Eschol D. Caldwell G.61)
b. 2 November 1958, Abiline, Dickinson, KS.
d.
m. 21 June 1980, Tampa, Hillsborough, FL.
To: Mary Jeanell Albert.
Their Children: I.116, I.117.

He was adopted. His wife, Mary Jeanell Albert, was born 11 November 1962 in Miami, FL, the daughter of Mose Albert and his wife Mary.

Address (mother): Betty Caldwell, Box 342, Key Largo, FL 33037.

H.81 LISA GAYLE PATE (Dgtr of Tommye Orleana Caldwell G.63)
b. 4 December 1960, Tullahoma, Coffee Co., TN.
d.
m. 30 August 1980, Tullahoma, Coffee Co., TN.
To: Joseph David Cardwell, Jr.
Their Children: I.118, I.119.

They are members of the First Baptist Church in Tullahoma, TN. He was born 29 December 1958 in Manchester, TN, the son of Joseph David Cardwell, Sr. and Martha Norman.

Address (mother): Mrs. Tommye C. Pate, Rt. 2, Box 215-B, Tullahoma, TN 37388.

H.82 SHERRI LYNN PATE (Dgtr of Tommye Orleana Caldwell G.63)
b. 28 November 1963
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.83 FRANCES SALLIETA PATE (Dgtr of Tommye O. Caldwell G.63)
b. 3 September 1971
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.84 MILTON ELVIE BANKS (Son of John Milton Banks G.64)
b. 19 November 1944
d.
m.
To:
Their Children: I.120.

H.85 RUTH ANNETTE BANKS (Dgtr of John Milton Banks G.64)
b. 5 April 1946
d.
m.
To: Stanley Entrakin
Their Children: I.121, I.122.

H.86 WALTER DEXTER ISBELL, JR. (Son of Cornelius E. Banks G.65)
b. 15 December 1956
d.
m.
To:
Their Children: I.123, I.124.

H.99 DONALD WARREN CALDWELL (Son of Donald C. Caldwell G.71)
b. 30 September 1960, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He received a B.S. in Communications/Broadcast Journalism from Jacksonville State College in January 1987.

H.100 CHANLEY ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Dgtr of Donald C. Caldwell G.71)
b. 31 December 1962, Tuscaloosa, Tuscaloosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

She received a degree in Math/Computer Science from University of Alabama in January 1987.

H.101 CARLA DyANNE CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Franklin Caldwell G.72)
b. 25 February 1965, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

Attended Walker high school, Jasper, AL. and U.A.B. Birmingham. She works part-time as a reporter for the Birmingham News and is a member of the First Baptist Church in Jasper, AL.

H.102 AMY ELISE CALDWELL (Dgtr of James Franklin Caldwell G.72)
b. 29 April 1967, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

She attended schools in Jasper, Alabama and graduated from Walker high School in 1985. She is attending the University of Alabama at Tuscaloosa. She worked as activites director at Forrest Manor in Tucaloosa. She is a member of the First Baptist Church in Jasper, Alabama.

H.103 JAMES FRANKLIN CALDWELL JR. (Son of James F. Caldwell G.72)
b. 04 January 1977, Fairfield, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their:

He attends T. R. Simmons elementary school in Jasper, Alabama and is a member of the First Baptist Church in Jasper.

H.104 STEPHEN CALDWELL PRESTON (Son Joyce Elizabeth Caldwell G.73)
b. 11 February 1961, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He received his Marketing and Business degrees from the University of Alabama and worked in sales with Vulcan Industries.

H.105 TERRY WAYNE PRESTON Joyce Elizabeth Caldwell G.73)
b. 21 September 1962, Birimingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 28 September 1985, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Regina Lynn Haney, 08 August 1963, Chicago, Cook, IL.
Their Children:

He is a salesman for Baker Dairy and is a member of Wylam Baptist Church. She is the daughter of James Houston Haney, Jr. and Frances Hamilton.

H.106 JOHN WESLEY PRESTON (Son of Joyce Elizabeth Caldwell G.73)
b. 21 May 1964, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He attended Pleasant Grove High School and graduated from Bessemer Technical College with a degree in drafting.

H.107 JOSEPH TIPTON MCQUEEN (Son of Julia Gale Caldwell G.74)
b. 07 January 1958, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He attended public schools in Birmingham, AL., graduated from Homewood High School in 1976 and attended Embry Riddle Aero University. He received his Airframe and Power Plant (aircraft) license and is working on his B.S. in Aviation Technology. He is a Baptist. He served in the U.S. Navy aboard the U.S.S. John F. Kennedy. His Navy service was from 1976-1980 and was honorably discharged as an E-5.
Address (1986): 4630 E. Thomas, #A-7, Phoenix, AZ 85018.

H.108 ETHEL LORETTA MCQUEEN (Dgtr of Julia Gale Caldwell G.74)
b. 28 October 1959, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 15 August 1976, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: James Steven Irwin. (divorced 1978
Their Children: James Steven Irwin, Jr.

H.109 ALMONA GAYLE MCQUEEN (Dgtr of Julia Gale Caldwell G.74)
b. 8 October 1962, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d. 17 February 1975, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.110 JULIA ADALE MCQUEEN (Dgtr of Julia Gale Caldwell G.74)
b. 14 October 1963, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.111 JAMES CLIFTON CALDWELL (Son of James LeRoy Caldwell G.75)
b. 11 January 1962, New Orleans, LA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.112 KIM ALLISON CALDWELL (Dgtr of James LeRoy Caldwell G.75)
b. 12 April 1963, New Orleans, LA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.113 DAVID THOMAS CALDWELL (Son of James LeRoy Caldwell G.75)
b. 09 March 1970, Columbia, SC.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.114 VICTORIA PAULINE HARRISON (Dgtr of Paula Rhee Caldwell G.76)
b. 28 July 1958, Myrtle Beach, SC.
d.
m. , Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Hal S. Eddings, Jr.
Their Children: I.127.

H.115 JACK HENRY HARRISON, JR. (Son of Paula Rhee Caldwell G.76)
b. 13 April 1960, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.116 EMORY ELIZABETH MEADOWS (Dgtr of Malcolm E. Meadows G.77)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.117 AMANDA CALDWELL MEADOWS (Dgtr of Malcolm E. Meadows G.77)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.118 JOHN CLAYTON TAYLOR (Son of Frankie Caldwell Sauls G.78)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.119 JAMES CLIFTON TAYLOR (Son of Frankie Caldwell Sauls G.78)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.119 JAMES CLIFTON TAYLOR (Son of Frankie Caldwell Sauls G.78
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.120 JOEL COURTNEY TAYLOR (Son of Frankie Caldwell Sauls G.78)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.121 MATTHEW SAULS (Son of Jan Courtney Sauls G.80)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.122 MARK SAULS (Son of Jan Courtney Sauls G.80)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.123 KENNER OZIAS MILLER, JR. (Son of Patsy Sue Merrill G.81)
b. 25 March 1956, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.124 JOHN MERRILL MILLER (Son of Patsy Sue Merrill G.81)
b. 23 February 1958, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
d.
m. 27 August 1983, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
To: Mitzie Renee Moss.
Their Children:

H.125 DAVID CAMERON MILLER (Son of Patsy Sue Merrill G.81)
b. 4 November 1959, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.126 ELIZABETH JAYNE MILLER (Dgt of Patsy Sue Merrill G.81)
b. 25 February 1964, Baton Rouge, Louisiana
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.127 MERRILL KAYE TRUITT (Dgtr of Jacqueline Maben Merrill G.82)
b. 6 April 1956, California.
d.
m. 21 May 1976, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
To: Carroll Clay Hughes.
Their Children:

H.128 MICHAEL STERLING TRUITT (Son of Jacqueline M. Merrill G.82)
b. 5 December 1958, Paducah, Kentucky.
d.
m. 29 July 1983, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.
To: Cindy Elizabeth Hulin, b. 17 April 1959.
Their Children:

H.129 LEON CALDWELL HARBIN, III (Son of Leon C. Harbin, Jr. G.84)
b. 15 May 1958, Oxford, Louisiana.
d.
m. 12 May 19 , Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Cindy McConnell (Divorced)
Their Children: none.

He received his B.S. from the University of Mississippi and is now with the real estate division of Merrill-Lynch in Dallas, Texas.
Address;(1986) 7979 Skillman #209, Dallas, TX 75231.

H.130 PATRICIA ELISE HARBIN (Dgtr of Leon C. Harbin, Jr. G.84)
b. 14 August 1960, Grenada, Mississippi.
d.
m. 30 November 1985, Grenada, Mississippi.
To: Michael A. Hernandez.
Their Children:

She received her B.S. and M.A. degrees in Homemaking from Ole Miss. She is a dietician in a convalescent home in Memphis, TN (1986).
Address (1986): 1275 Essex Court #2, Memphis, TN 38119.

H.131 FRANK EVANS HARBIN (Son of Leon Caldwell Harbin, Jr. G.84)
b. 15 December 1962, Grenada, Mississippi.
d.
m. 12 May 1984, Grenada, Mississippi.
To: Sharolyne Campbell. (b. 24 June 1963, Mississippi)
Their Children: Nathaniel Dane Harbin, b. 15 Oct. 1986.

He received his B.S. degree in business from Mississippi State University at Starkville, Mississippi and is with Sol's Pipe in Huntsville, Alabama. Address (1986): 6156 Maysville Rd., New Market, AL 35761.

H.132 NANCY LIND HARBIN (Dgtr of William Stowe Harbin G.85)
b. 31 May 1961, Monroe, Louisiana.
d.
m. 19 November 1983, Monroe, Louisiana.
To: Gary Lynn Roberts.
Their Children: Kyle Jordan (02 JAN 85) Joshua Seth (13 MAR 86)

She received her B.S. in nursing from North Louisiana University, Monroe, Louisiana and is a Registered Nurse in a dialysis unit in Monroe.
Address (1986): 109 Liner Drive, Monroe, LA 71203.

H.133 CAROLYN LESLIE HARBIN (Dgtr of William S. Harbin G.85)
b. 21 December 1962, Monroe, Louisiana.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

She is a Dental Hygienest and received her B.S. from North Louisiana University in Monroe, Louisiana.
Address (1986): 3908 Blanks Street, Monroe, LA 71203.

H.134 WILLIAM STOWE HARBIN, JR. (Son of William S. Harbin G.85)
b. 28 December 1965, Monroe, Louisiana.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He is a junior at North Louisiana University, Monroe, Louisiana majoring in construction.
Address (1986): 3908 Blanks Street, Monroe, LA 71203.

H.135 PAMELA GRIFFIS (Dgtr of James Wilson Griffis, Jr. G.86)
b. 7 November 1963, Little Rock, Arkansas.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

She was adopted. In 1985 she was a senior at Mississippi State University, majoring in Public Relations
Her mother was living (1985) in Greenwood, Mississippi and was teaching school there. Address: 611 Sumner, Greenwood, MS 38930.

H.136 AMANDA GRIFFIS (Dgtr of James Wilson Griffis, Jr. G.86)
b. 23 February 1968, Greenwood, Mississippi.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.137 TERRI ANN GRIFFIS (Dgtr of Forrest H. Griffis G.87)
b. 30 August 1965, Natchez, Mississippi.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

She was adopted by Forrest H. Griffis after he married her mother, Jeannie Virginia Weathersby.

H.138 JENNIFER LEA GRIFFIS (Dgtr of Forrest H. Griffis G.87)
b. 2 December 1966, Natchez, Mississippi.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

She was adopted by Forrest H. Griffis after he married her mother, Jeannie Virginia Weathersby.

H.139 CYNTHIA LESLIE WILLIS (Dgtr of Donnie Adelia Land G.90)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.140 NORMAN WILLIS (Son of Donnie Adelia Land G.90)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.141 HORACE WILLIS (Son of Donnie Adelia Land G.90)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.142 NANCY LYNN BELL (Dgtr of Jackie Bell G.93)
b. 21 March 1956, Lake Village, Chicot County, AR.
d.
m. 10 January 1974, Wilmot, Ashley County, AR.
To: Allen Charles Everett.
Their Children: I.128, I.129.

Her husband, Allen Charles Everett, was born on 24 November 1951 at Bastrop, Louisiana, the son of C. C. Everett and his wife Ella Rose. He is a cotton and catfish farmer.
They are members of the Baptist Church.
Address (1986): Route 1, Box 107, Jones, Louisiana 71250.

H.143 BILLY JACK BELL (Son of Jackie Bell G.93)
b. 10 June 1957, Lake Village, Chicot County, AR.
d. 21 December 1975, Eudora, Chicot County, AR.
buried: Parkdale Cemetery, Parkdale, Ashley Co., AR.
m. Never married.

H.144 JOSEPH RANDALL BELL (Son of Jackie Bell G.93)
b. 06 January 1964, Lake Village, Chicot, AR.
d.
m. 30 December 1983, Greenville, Washinngton, MS.
To: Jacqueline Renee Skipper.
Their Children: I.130.

H.145 RAYMOND JOHN MCBROOM (Son of William McBroom G.94)
b. July 1958,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.146 LYNN ANN MCBROOM (Dgtr of William McBroom G.94)
b. November 1962,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.147 TOMMY MCBROOM, JR. (Son of Tommy McBroom G.95)
b. 31 August 1968, Asheville, NC.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.148 CHERYL ANN MCBROOM (Dgtr of Tommy McBroom G.95)
b. 31 December 1966, Vicksburg, MS.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.149 TRACY ANN HALL (Dgtr of Marily Joyce Waltman G.103)
b. 05 December 1953, St. Louis, MO.
d.
m. 08 June 1985, Little Rock, Pulaski, AR.
To: Gary N. Hairston.
Their Children:

She is a teacher and guidance counselor. Her husband was born on 05 December 1955 at St. Louis, MO, the son of Norman and Mildred Nations Hairston. He is a postal worker.

H.150 JAMES ROSS HALL, JR. (Son of Marilyn Joyce Waltman G.103)
b. 21 January 1961, Thibodaux, LA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He is the manager of the Nautilus Plus health club in Little Rock, Arkansas.
Address (1986): 3211 Duke Street, Little Rock, AR 72204.

H.151 TIM ROSS HALL (Son of Marilyn Joyce Waltman G.103)
b. 03 April 1963, Thibodaux, LA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

In 1986 he was a student and worked parttime at the Nautilus Plus health club in Little Rock.
Address (1986): Route 2, Box 165, Alexander, AR 72002.

H.152 MARTIN ROY WALTMAN, III (Son of Martin R. Waltman, Jr. G.104)
b. 09 April 1964, Heber Springs, AR.
d.
m. 10 April 1986, Toa Alta, Puerto Rico.
To: Sandra Marie Carpenter.
Their Children: I.131.

He is serving (1986) in the U.S. Navy in Puerto Rico. His wife, Sandra, is the daughter of Jackie Francis Carpenter and his wife Lidia Maria Figueroa and was born on 09 January 1963 at Ramey Air Force Base in Puerto Rico. She is a student nurse.
Address (1986): P.O. Box 954, USNSGA, Sabana Seca, PR 00749-0954.

H.153 MARCEL WALTMAN (Dgtr of Martin Roy Waltman, Jr. G.104)
b. 20 April 1967, Dermott, Chicot, AR.
d.
m. 16 June 1983, Wichita, KS.
To: Larry Gaylon Davis.
Their Children: I.132.

Her husband was born on 19 August 1964 at Conway, AR, the son of Gaylon Davis and his wife Cecilia Marie Clements. He is serving (1986) in the U.S. Navy aboard the U.S.S. Semmes out of Charleston, SC.
Address (1986): Route 1, Box 103, Bauxite, AR 72011.

H.154 STEPHEN BLAKE JOHNS (Son of Terrance Allen Johns G.107)
b. 10 April 1959, Tampa, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.155 MARK ALLEN JOHNS (Son of Terrance Allen Johns G.107)
b. 03 February 1961, Dermott, Chicot, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.156 BRIAN SCOTT JOHNS (Son of Terrance A. Johns G.107)
b. 27 June 1969, Poplar Bluff, MO.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.157 ANDREA CHRISTINE JOHNS (Dgr of James Andrew Johns G.108)
b. 25 December 1960, Dermott, Chicot, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.158 JOHN WALLACE JOHNS (Son of James Andrew Johns G.108)
b. 13 February 1963, Dermott, Chicot Co., AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.159 MARYLN XANN JOHNS (Dgtr of William Lawrence Johns G.109)
b. 21 February 1969,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

She was adopted by her step-father Alyn Roberts.

H.160 GUY WILLIAM JOHNS (Son of William Lawrence Johns G.109)
b. 23 May 1978, Daytona Beach, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

The son of William Lawrence Johns' second wife and her first husband, William Thompson, he was adopted by William L. Johns.

H.161 ASHLEE DANIELLE JOHNS (Dgtr of William L. Johns G.109)
b. 6 October 1985, Ocala, Florida.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.162 JAMES SEAN MURPHY (Son of Marian Jean Johns G.110)
b. 29 July 1968, Philadelphia, PA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.163 CHRISTI CHRISHELL MURPHY (Dgtr of Marian Jean Johns G.110)
b. 14 May 1970, Ocala, Florida.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.164 HENRY ARCHIBALD MORGAN, III (Son of Henry A. Morgan Jr. G.111)
b. 7 December 1977, Dallas, Texas.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.165 KATIE ELLEN MORGAN (Dgtr of Henry A. Morgan Jr. G.111)
b. 20 January 1980, Dallas, Texas.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.166 ANDREW CHRISTIAN MORGAN (Son of Henry A. Morgan Jr. G.111)
b. 9 March 1982, Dallas, Texas.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.167 DREW CALDWELL MINOR (Son of Dorothy Jane Caldwell G.113)
b. 24 December 1976, Lawrence, Douglas Co., KS.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.168 BLAKE CHAFFIN MINOR (Son of Dorothy Jane Caldwell G.113)
b. 1 March 1980, St. Louis, St. Louis Co., MO.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.169 BERNIE HARRISON SCHWARTZ (Son of Sara Maureen Caldwell G.114)
b. 22 December 1969, Birmingham, Alabama.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.170 PAUL HENRY CALDWELL (Son of William Wallace Caldwell G.115)
b. 31 October 1953, Monticello, Drew Co., AR.
d.
m. 04 May 1979, Pine Bluff, Jefferson County, AR.
To: Vickie Smith.
Their Children: I.133, I.134, I.135.

He is a member of Lakeside United Methodist Church, Pine Bluff, Arkansas. He attended Pine Bluff Public Schools and graduated from Pine Bluff High School in 1971. He attended the University of Arkansas at Monticello where he played on the university baseball team.

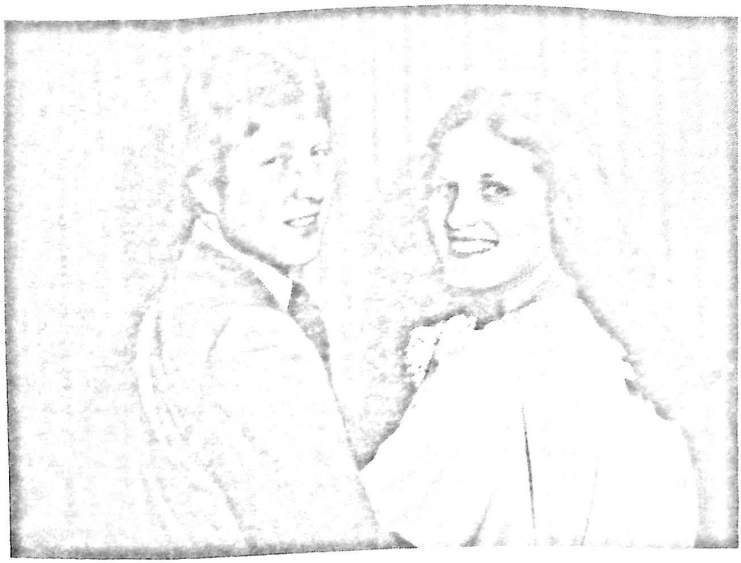
He went to work for Fox Brothers Hardware Company, a wholesale hardware concern, in 1976. He worked in the warehouse, the city order desk and in 1981 he went on the road as the company's sales representative for southeastern Arkansas with his headquarters in Monticello. He and his family moved there in early 1981. He has been long active in sports and has coached in the schoolboy leagues (baseball) since moving to Monticello.

His wife, Vickie, was born 24 June 1956 in Pine Bluff, Arkansas, the daughter of Thomas Derwood Smith and his wife Paula Treece Crowder. She attended Pine Bluff Public Schools. Since moving to Monticello she has been active in community affairs, especially the Future Farmers of America.

H.171 WILLIAM WALLACE CALDWELL, JR. (Son of William Wallace Caldwell G.115)
b. 06 February 1956, Monticello, AR.
d.
m. 07 April 1979, Little Rock, Pulaski County, AR.
To: Tracy Rodgers.
Their Children:

He is a member of Lakeside United Methodist Church in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. He attended Pine Bluff Public Schools and graduated from Pine Bluff High School in 1974. He attended Arkansas State University in Jonesboro, Arkansas. In 1979 he went to work for Collection Services, Incorporated in Little Rock where he was made office manager in 1984. In October 1986 he assumed the position of manager of the credit card collection department of Union National Bank in Little Rock. In addition to his work, he attends night classes studying electronics and computer servicing.

His wife, Tracy, was born 19 November 1956 at Little Rock, Arkansas, the daughter of Vernon Rodgers and his wife Dorothy Ward. Tracy is a member of Geyer Springs Baptist Church in Little Rock. She graduated from McClellan High School in Little Rock and attended Arkansas State University at Jonesboro, Arkansas where she received her BA degree in Elementary Education and Early Childhood Development. After graduation she worked for the Arkansas Department of Health and Human Services in Little Rock while pursuing her Masters Degree in Social Work at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock. She received her Masters in 1985. She is now (1986) employed as a social worker with Youth Home, Incorporated in Little Rock.



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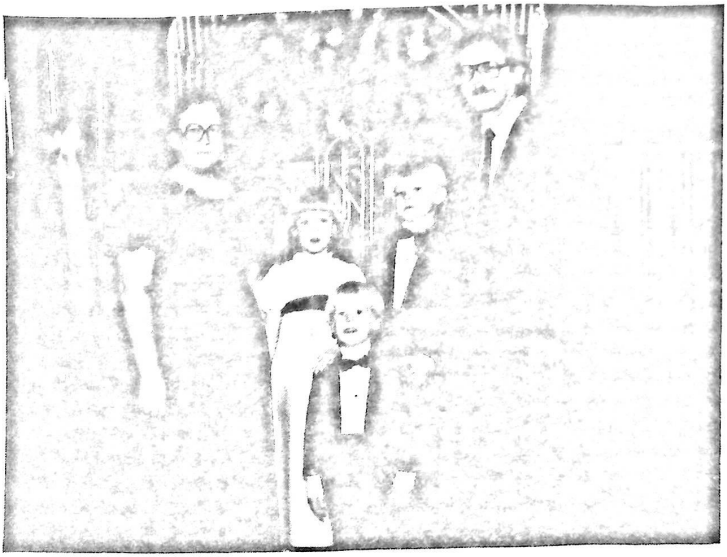

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H.172 LISA TYRONE (Dgtr of John Paul Tyrone G.116)
b. 19 March 1968, Little Rock, Pulaski County, AR.
d.
m. 01 October 1983, Benton, Saline, AR.
To: Jeffrey Clay Pierce.
Their Children: I.136.

Her husband was born on 28 May 1965 in Benton, AR, the son of Homer and Brenda Pierce. He is a steelworker.

H.173 PAUL JAMES TYRONE (Son of John Paul Tyrone G.116)
b. 2 April 1975, Little Rock, Pulaski County, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

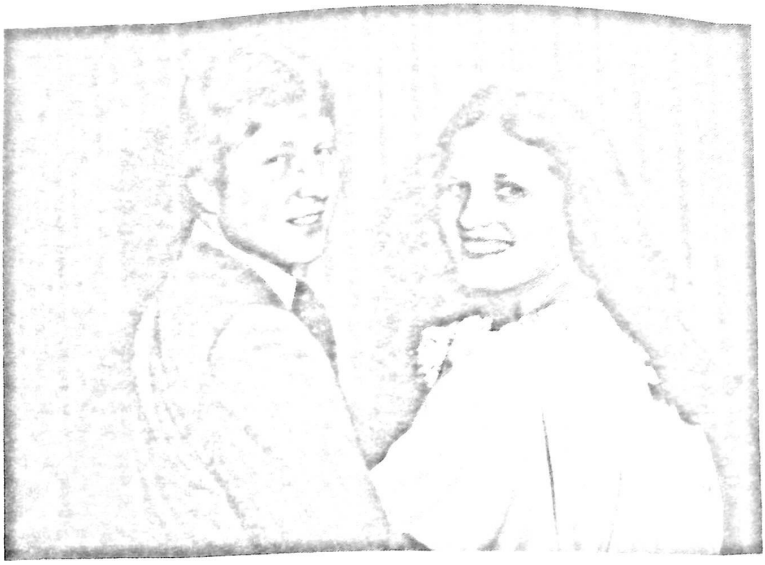
H.174 SHANA ELAINE TYRONE (Dgtr of John Paul Tyrone G.116)
b. 14 June 1976, McGehee, Desha County, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.175 MARK WILLIAM TWENTEY (Son of Susanne Files G.121)
b. 3 December 1967, Frederick, Maryland.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He attended Yellow Springs Elementary School and Governor Thomas Johnson High School in Frederick, Maryland. He graduated from high school in 1985. In the Fall of 1985 he entered Gordon Jr. College, Barnesville, GA and in Spring of 1987 Frederick Comm College.

While growing up he participated regularly in youth baseball and played in the 1983 15-year-old Babe Ruth World Series and was named to the All Tournament Team. In 1984 he was named by the *Frederick News-Post* as high school baseball "Player of the Year."

He is a member of the Brook Hill United Methodist Church in Yellow Springs, Maryland.



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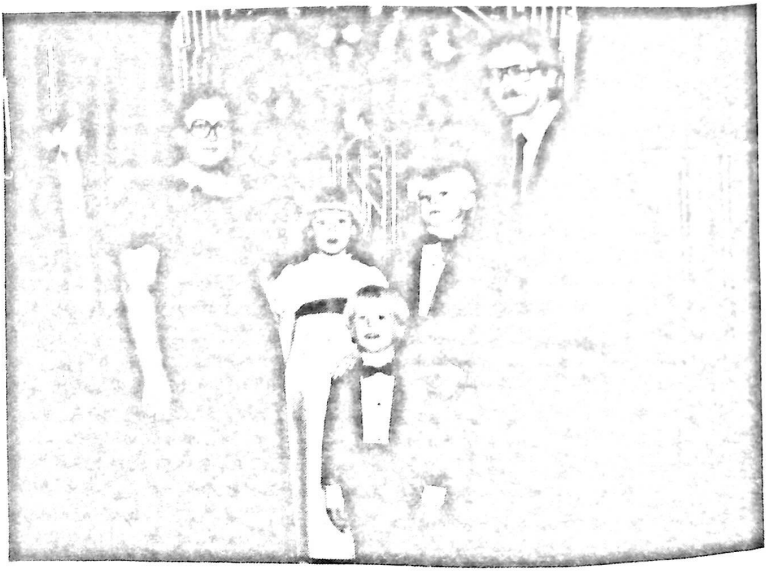

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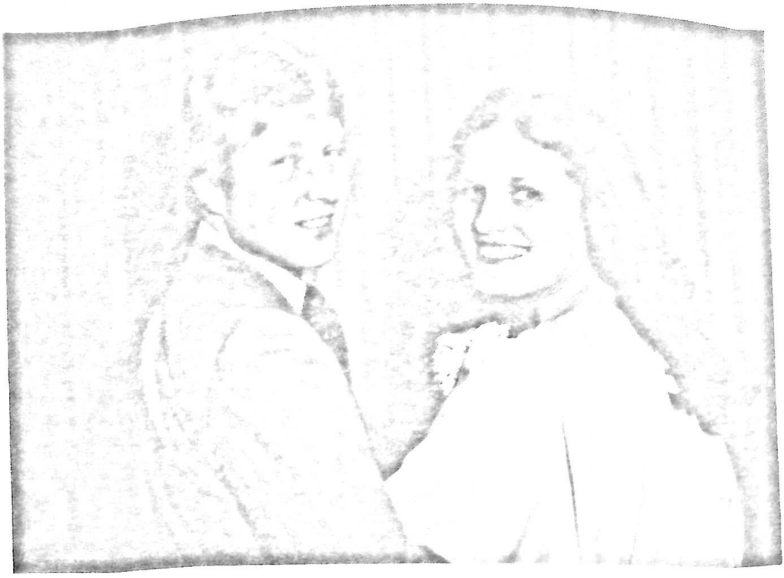

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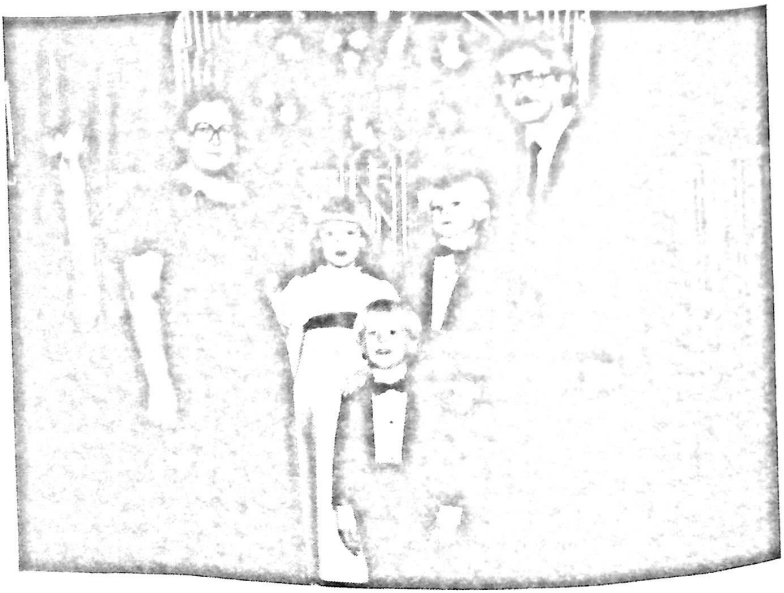

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He is a member of the Brook Hill United Methodist Church in Yellow Springs, Maryland.

H.176 SUSAN DIANE HOWIE (Dgtr of Edward Alexander Howie G.123)
b. 14 November 1955, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, LA.
d.
m. 16 March 1975, Louisiana.
To: Larry Martin Tyree, b. 12 November 1951, Ruston, LA.
Their Children:

H.177 GLEN EDWARD HOWIE (Son of Edward Alexander Howie G.123)
b. 10 September 1957, Monroe, Ouachita, LA.
d.
m. 22 July 1981, New Orleans, LA.
To: Connie Anne Johnson, b. 6 December 1957, LA.
Their Children:

H.178 ERMA JACQUESE CLARK (Dgtr of Carolyn Joyce Howie G.125)
b. 19 February 1954, Dermott, Chicot Co., AR.
d.
m. 25 November 1978, Kenner, Louisiana.
To: Elbert Franklin Ricks. b. 26 September 1955, NC.
Their Children: I.137.

H.179 SANDRA JOYCE CLARK (Dgtr of Carolyn Joyce Howie G.125)
b. 2 November 1959, Kenner, Louisiana.
d.
m. 3 January 1981, Kenner, Louisiana.
To: Matthew Miland Roberts, b. 2 February 1959, IL.
Their Children:

H.180 STACY BOWMAN CALDWELL (Dgtr of James C. Caldwell G.126)
b. 23 July 1959, Van Nuys, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.181 PATRICK DATTILE (Son of Katie Ann Caldwell G.127)
b. 21 December 1961, Van Nuys, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.182 BRYANT LAVILLE (Son of Katie Ann Caldwell G.127)
b. 10 November 1979, Agoura, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.183 JEFFREY PETTERSON (Son of Sharon Caldwell G.128)
b. 25 August 1969, Van Nuys, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.184 MICHAEL PETTERSON (Son of Sharon Caldwell G.128)
b. 20 May 1973, Van Nuys, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.185 JASON CALDWELL (Son of Rodney Don Caldwell G.129)
b. 22 August 1976, Granada Hills, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.186 CHRISTINA MARIE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Victor E. Caldwell G.130)
b. 13 November 1958, Encino, CA.
d.
m. 15 July 1983, Tarzana, CA.
To: Jeffrey Glenn Morris.
Their Children:

She attended Lorne Street School and Northridge Junior High School in Northridge, CA, high school at Cleveland High, Reseda, CA and Newberry Park High School in Newberry Park, CA. and attended Moorpark College and Merit College. She was manager of Builders Emporium, 1977-1982, Service Representative fo Universal Merchandising, 1982-1986 and an apprentice electrician with Fischbach and Moore, 1986 to the present.

They are members of St. Johns Lutheran Church. Her husband was born on 30 July 1955, the son of Clifford Dale Morris and Joanne Watkins Morris. He attended schools in Van Nuys and Reseda, CA and Occidental College. He is an electrician.

H.187 COLLEEN MARIE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Victor Edw. Caldwell G.130)
b. 29 August 1963, Van Nuys, California.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.188 ELAYNA MARIE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Victor E. Caldwell G.130)
b. 22 July 1969, Canoga Park, California.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.189 ALEACIA MARIE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Victor E. Caldwell G.130)
b. 22 September 1972, Canoga Park, California.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.190 LANSING DEAN FISHER (Son of Sherry Katherine Caldwell G.131)
b. 30 July 1968, Encino, California.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.191 SHANA RENEE LESKO (Dgtr of Sherry Katherine Caldwell G.131)
b. 27 May 1972, Thousands Oaks, California.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.192 KATHERINE ELIZABETH LESKO (Dgtr of Sherry K. Caldwell G.131)
b. 22 December 1982, Dallas, Texas.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.193 SARAH EMILIE LESKO (Dgtr of Sherry Katherine Caldwell G.131)
b. 03 September 1984,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.194 STEVEN WAYNE ADAMS (Son of Winfred Caldwell Adams G.132)
b. 26 September 1959, Little Rock, Pulaski Co,, AR.
d.
m. 01 May 1982, Jacksonville, Pulaski County, AR.
To: Cheri Morgan.
Their Children: I.138, I.139.

His wife, Cheri Morgan, was born 04 July 1962 at Modesto, CA, the daughter of James Morgan and his wife Priscilla Wright.

Address (1986): Route 1, Box 234, Ward, AR 72176.

H.195 ADAM LYNN ADAMS (Son of Winfred Caldwell Adams G.132)
b. 12 September 1962, Jacksonville, Pulaski, AR.
d.
m. 17 September 1982, Jacksonville, Pulaski, AR.
To: Sheri Parrish.
Their Children: I.140

His wife, Sheri Parrish, was born 29 March 1962 at Memphis, Tennessee, the daughter of James Parrish and hsi wife Thrisa Hampton.

Address (1986): 1109 Wilds Street, Jacksonville, AR 72076.

H.196 KATHRYN DENISE ADAMS (Dgtr of Winfred Caldwell Adams
b. 07 December 1965, Jacksonville, Pulaski, AR. G.132
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.197 JOSEPH STEVEN SOOS, IV. (Son of Linda Jo Caldwell G.137)
b. 10 September 1959,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.198 JOHN SCOTT SOOS (Son of Linda Jo Caldwell G.137)
b. 10 August 1961,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.199 JAMES STACY SOOS (Son of Linda Jo Caldwell G.137)
b. 04 September 1962,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.200 TIMOTHY JACK SOOS (Son of Linda Jo Caldwell G.137)
b. 20 January 1969,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.201 RICHARD KENT DUREN (Son of Sandra Kay Caldwell G.139)
b. 26 Novmeber 1965, Drumwright, Creek, OK.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.202 RUSSELL BRIAN DUREN (Son of Sandra Kay Caldwell G.139)
b. 28 October 1966, Drumwright, Creek, OK.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.203 WILLIAM PORTER CALDWELL, JR. (Son of William P. Caldwell G.140)
b. 19 October 1951, VA.
d.
m. 29 December 1972, AL.
To: Martha Sydney Lock.
Their Children:

H.204 JANICE K. CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Porter Caldwell G.140)
b. 28 November 1955, FL.
d.
m. 01 January 1983, TX.
To: Fred Baldwin.
Their Children:
7306 Liberty Grove, Rawlett, TX 75088.

H.205 THOMAS BOWERS CALDWELL (Son of William P. Caldwell G.140)
b. 12 July 1957, MN.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

H.206 GAIL ANN CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Porter Caldwell G.140)
b. 02 June 1959, MS.
d.
m. 21 June 1980, TX.
To: Steve Paoli (divorced in 1985)
Their Children:

Address (1986): 530 Harvest Hill, Lewisville, TX 75067.

H.207 ROBERT HUTCHINGS CALDWELL (Son of William P. Caldwell MS. G.140)
b. 01 September 1961,
d.
m. 28 December 1985, Pasadena, TX.
To: Janet Elaine Fields.
Their Children:

H.208 DAVID SCOTT GRAGG (Son of Margaret Ann Caldwell G.141)
b. 31 August 1956, San Antonio, Bexar, TX.
d.
m. 11 July 1981, Indianapolis, IN.
To: Susan Marie O'Connell.
Their Children: I.141.

He is an Attorney and Certified Public Accountant with the firm of Jeffers, Brook, Kreager and Gragg, Incorporated. He is a member of Beacon Hill Presbyterian Church.

His wife, Susan, was born 29 November 1959 at Minneapolis, MN, the daughter of John Edward O'Connell and his wife Judith Irving. She is a Certified Public Accountant employed United Services Auto Association.

Address (1986): 140 East Elmview, San Antonio, TX 78209.

H.209 LUCY ANN GRAGG (Dgtr of Margaret Ann Caldwell G.141)
b. 17 April 1959, San Antonio, Bexar, TX.
d.
m. 01 August 1981, San Antonio, Bexar, TX.
To: William Duncan King.
Their Children: I.142.

She is a Special Education Supervisor in the Northside Independent School District, San Antonio, Texas. She is a member of the Beacon Hill Presbyterian Church.

Her husband, William Duncan King, was born 03 September 1957 at Fort Worth, Texas, the son of William H. King and his wife Gwendolyn Burkhalter. He is and insurance agent with the firm of P. E. Gragg and Company.

Address (1986): 12510 Cozy Trail, San Antonio, TX 78249.

H.210 ROY ALAN CALDWELL (Son of John Thomas Caldwell G.142)
b. 16 June 1962, Castro Valley, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He is a 1985 graduate of the United States Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Address (1986): 4117 Charleston Drive, Colorado Springs, CO 80916.

H.211 SUSAN DARLENE CALDWELL (Dgtr of John Thomas Caldwell G.142)
b. 16 December 1963, San Leandro, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

Address (1986): 1818 So. 5th W. Apt. #2, Missoula, MT 59801.

H.212 ADRIAN LEIGH CALDWELL (Son of William R. Caldwell III
b. 11 August 1981, Baton Rouge, LA. C.143)
d.

H.213 KATIE ELIZABETH CALDWELL (Dgtr of William R. Caldwell III
b. 18 January 1986, Monroe, Ouachita Parish, LA. G.143)
d.

H.214 JOSHUA BENJAMIN HORTMAN (Son of Mary K. Caldwell G.144)
b. 04 December 1978,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

Address (1986): 116 Houston Avenue, Angleton, TX 77515.

I.1 JAMIE ELAINE SCHELL (Dgtr of Doyle Elaine Caldwell H.1)
b. 2 April 1957, Sylacauga, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m. 16 June 1979, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Terry J. Davis.
Their Children: J.1, J.2.

She has her B.S. in Music from the University of Montevallo, Montevallo, AL. Her husband, Terry, was born __ January 1957 at Selma, AL, the son of Joseph Roy Davis.

I.2 JAMES KEITH SCHELL (Son of Doyle Elaine Caldwell H.1)
b. 19 February 1961, Sylacauga, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.3 GINA RENEE CROSS (Dgtr of Elizabeth Sue Caldwell H.2)
b. 13 August 1962, Gadsden, Etowah Co., AL.
d.
m. 23 August 1980, Bonham, TX.
To: D. Scott Sisk.
Their Children:

Her husband was born ___ October 1957, the son of Dr. Walter L. Sisk, Jr. and his wife Irene Brown. Gina is a member of the 7th & Main Baptist Church in Bonham, TX.

I.4 JONI DENISE CROSS (Dgtr of Elizabeth Sue Caldwell H.2)
b. 21 February 1965, Sylacauga, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.5 CRAIG GEORGE CAMPBELL (Son of Rufus Watson Campbell H.3)
b. 22 June 1957, Houma, Terrebonne Parish, LA.
d.
m. 19 October 1979, Las Vegas, Clark, NV.
To: Debra Kay O'Neill.
Their Children: J.3.

His wife was born on 23 July 1954 at Wilmington, DE, the daughter of George and Edie J. Norton O'Neil. Craig and Debra were both Staff Sergeants in the U.S. Air Force.

I.6 CARRIE GAIL CAMPBELL (Dgtr of Rufus W. Campbell H.3)
b. 19 July 1959, Houma, Terrebonne Parish, LA.
d.
m. 20 December 1978, Rusk, Panola, TX.
To: Jeffery Wayne Pittman.
Their Children: J.4.

Her husband was born on 01 September 1958 at Opelousa, LA, the son of Gordon Wayne and Patricia Sawyer Pittman. He received a B.S. in Mechanical Technology from the University of Houston. Carrie attended L.S.U.

I.7 CARLA GAYE CAMPBELL (Dgtr of Rufus W. Campbell H.3)
b. 6 February 1962, Houma, Terrebonne Parish, LA.
d.
m. 21 August 1982, New Orleans, LA.
To: James Edward Gary.
Their Children:

Her husband was born on 12 December 1958 at New Orleans, LA, the son of John and Edith Posey Gary. Carla received her B.S. in Accounting in 1983 from L.S.U. James received his B.S. in Finance from L.S.U. in 1980.

I.8 LESLI GRIFFIN (Ch of Elvie Ione Campbell H.4)
b. 17 July 1963, Atlanta, DeKalb County, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.9 WADE GRIFFIN (Son of Elvie Ione Campbell H.4)
b. 11 January 1968, Decatur, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.10 KIMBERLY MAGEE (Dgtr of Emma Lou Campbell H.5)
b. 20 August 1975, Shreveport, Caddo Parish, LA.
d.
m.
Their Children:

I.11 DAVID DRAYTON WILLIAMS (Son of Ralph Keeton Williams H.8)
b. 4 December 1969, Lockhart, Caldwell Co., TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.12 ANGIE LYNN WILLIAMS (Dgtr of Ralph Keeton Williams H.8)
b. 4 August 1973, Lockhart, Caldwell Co., TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.13 MICHAEL CALDWELL EHRIG (Son of Norma Lee Williams H.9)
b. 3 December 1979, Guadalupe, Sequin Co., TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.14 KEETON OTTO EHRIG (Son of Norma Lee Williams H.9)
b. 9 April 1984, Guadalupe, Sequin Co., TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.15 WILLIAM RANSOME BALLANCE (Son of Judy Lynn Brown H.10)
b. 6 April 1971, Fayetteville, Cumberland, NC.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.16 LINDA JEAN BALLANCE (Dgtr of Judy Lynn Brown H.10)
b. 29 December 1974, Little Rock, Pulaski, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.17 CATHERINE GAIL CHANDLER (Dgtr of June Gail Brown H.11)
b. 23 March 1972, Homestead, Dade County, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.18 REBECCA ANN CHANDLER (Dgtr of June Gail Brown H.11)
b. 11 February 1975, Homestead, Dade County, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.19 RYAN CHRISTOPHER NIX (Son of Wayne Douglas Nix H.12)
b. 14 August 1982, Gulfport, Harrison County, MS.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.20 COURTNEY NOELLE NIX (Dgtr of Wayne Douglas Nix H.12)
b. 15 June 1984, Gulfport, Harrison County, MS.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.21 TIFFANY NICOLE NIX (Dgtr of Joel Ray Nix H.13)
b. 4 June 1980, Jackson, Hinds County, MS.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.22 JOEY HAYES NIX (Son of Joel Ray Nix H.13)
b. 13 April 1983, Jackson, Hinds County, MS.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.23 STEVEN CRAIG GREENE ALLISON (Son of Melba Anne Caldwell
b. 11 January 1960, Talladega, Talladega, AL. H.14)
d.
m. 15 June 1985, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Sandra Dee Hartline.
Their Children:

He was adopted by his stepfather, Herman Douglas Allison and changed his name from Greene to Allison. He received a B.S. from Auburn University. His wife was born 26 May 1960 in Birmingham, AL.

I.24 SALLY ANN ALLISON (Dgtr of Melba Anne Caldwell H.14)
b. 16 December 1966, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.25 KAREN LISA KALLENBACH (Dgtr of Phyllis Jane Caldwell
b. 12 August 1959, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL. H.16)
d.
m. 25 March 1978
To: David Dennis Tieri.
Their Children:

I.26 KEVIN LEE KALLENBACH (Son of Phyllis Jane Caldwell H.16)
b. 27 July 1961, Chicago, Cook County, IL.
d.
m. 16 December 1983
To: Rose Fernandez.
Their Children:

I.27 KENNETH CALDWELL KALLENBACH (Son of Phyllis J. Caldwell H.16)
b. 8 February 1965, Chicago, Cook Co., IL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.28 JOHN MICHAEL JERNIGAN (Son of Linda Elaine Caldwell H.17)
b. 27 August 1972, Montgomery, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.29 HARVEY GRAHAM PONDER (Son of Terry Susan Caldwell H.18)
b. 28 June 1975, Anniston, Calhoun Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.30 HARLAN RICHARD PONDER (Son of Terry Susan Caldwell H.18)
b. 22 July 1978, Anniston, Calhoun Co., AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.31 SARAH LEANN NEVILLE (Dgtr of Sandra Lynn Caldwell H.19)
b. 01 October 1985, Humble, Harris, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.32 JOSHUA JERROD CALDWELL (Son of Graham G. Caldwell, Jr.
b. 17 July 1986, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL. H.20)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.33 DEBRA JEAN CALDWELL (Dgtr of William Saxon Caldwell G.21)
b. October 1959, USN Hospital, San Diego, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.34 TAMMY PAULA CALDWELL (Dgtr of Joseph Norvelle Caldwell G.22)
b. 27 July 1964, Alexander City, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.35 DONALD RAY SAXON, JR. (Son of Donald Ray Saxon H.25)
b. 04 October 1962, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 20 July 1985
To: Belinda Kay Mashburn.
Their Children:

I.36 KIMBERLY ANN SAXON (Dgtr of Donald Ray Saxon H.25)
b. 28 July 1964, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.37 CHRISTINA SAXON (Dgtr of Donald Ray Saxon H.25)
b. 02 February 1971, Atlanta, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.38 ROBERT PIERCE FULLER SAXON (Son Glenda K. Saxon H.26)
b. 24 April 1962, Alexander City, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

He was adopted by his grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. Henry Pierce Saxon and changed his name from Fuller to Saxon.

I.39 MICHAEL SHANE LANGLEY (Son of Paul Thomas Langley H.27)
b. 11 April 1971, Macon, Bibb, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.40 JAMES GREGORY STRICKLAND (Son of James Howard Strickland
b. 20 June 1966, Talladega, Talladega, AL. H.34)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.41 FELICIA ANN STRICKLAND (Dgtr of James Howard Strickland
b. 09 March 1970, Talladega, Talladega, AL. H.34)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.42 CHARLES EDWARD STRICKLAND (Son of Walter C. Strickland, Jr.
b. 12 November 1965, Talladega, Talladega, AL. H.35)
d.
m. 28 June 1985
To: Pamela Darlene Allen.
Their Children:

I.43 JOSEPH ALAN STRICKLAND (Son Walter C. Strickland, Jr. H.35)
b. 28 July 1967, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.44 STACEY MICHELLE STRICKLAND (Dgtr of Walter C. Strickland H.35)
b. 08 October 1970, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.45 MARY ELIZABETH STRICKLAND (Dgtr of Walter C. Strickland H.35)
b. 21 December 1973, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.46 TINA JO LaTASTE (Dgtr of Jo Anne Strickland H.36)
b. 18 August 1966, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 10 August 1985, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Kevin Lee Forry.
Their Children: J.5.

Her husband was born on 18 June 1963 at Anchorage, AK, the son of Evan Edgar Forry and his wife Tommie Ruth Blackwell.

I.47 TERRY WAYNE LaTASTE (Son of Jo Anne Strickland H.36)
b. 23 December 1967, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.48 TIMMY DEWAYNE LaTASTE (Son of Jo Anne Strickland H.36)
b. 02 August 1974, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.49 DONALD RAY PRICE, JR. (Son of Betty Ann McKee H.37)
b. 15 January 1960, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.50 RITA JOYCE PRICE (Dgtr of Betty Ann McKee H.37)
b. 12 October 1961, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 15 August 1981, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Keanon Ashley Ingram.
Their Children: J.6, J.7.

Her husband was born on 15 February 1960 at Memphis, TN, the son of Keanon Ashley Ingram and his wife Mary.

I.51 JEFF LAMAR BEARDEN (Son of Janice Faye McKee H.40)
b. 24 August 1964, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.52 ANITA JILL BEARDEN (Dgtr of Janice Faye McKee H.40)
b. 28 July 1966, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 10 September 1982, Pasadena, TX.
To: Russell Anthony Herrera.
Their Children: J.8, J.9.

I.53 HOLLIE RENEE PETTUS (Dgtr of Janice Faye McKee H.40)
b. 11 August 1974, Pasadena, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.54 RODNEY GENE GRAHAM (Son of Linda Gail McKee H.41)
b. 19 September 1963, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 25 June 1983, Tuscaloosa, Tuscaloosa, AL.
To: Connie Lynn Dennis.
Their Children: J.10.

His wife was born on 22 October 1963 at Sylacauga, AL, the daughter of Alvin Dennis and his wife Margie Limbaugh.

I.55 KIMBERLY LYNN GRAHAM (Son of Linda Gail McKee H.41)
b. 21 October 1964, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.56 SELENA PAIGE DEES (Dgtr of Linda Gail McKee H.41)
b. 12 November 1970, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.57 PRESTON KEITH CASTLEBERRY (Son of Mary Nell McKee H.42)
b. 25 January 1964, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.58 KELLY WAYNE CASTLEBERRY (Son of Mary Nell McKee H.42)
b. 12 June 1966, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.59 SCOTT ALLEN DUPREE (Son of Margaret Luceal McKee H.43)
b. 24 August 1965, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.60 MASIE MARIE MCKEE (Dgtr of Preston Randall McKee H.44)
b. 15 July 1973, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.61 RANDALL SHANE MCKEE (Son of Preston Randall McKee H.44)
b. 08 June 1974, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.62 CHRISTOPHER COLT MCKEE (Son of Preston Randall McKee
b. 11 June 1985, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL. H.44)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.63 MARK SHAWN CAMPBELL (Son of Catherine Marie Hardee H.45)
b. 07 March 1965, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.64 JOANNA DEE CAMPBELL (Dgtr of Catherine Marie Hardee H.45)
b. 29 September 1967, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.65 BOBBIE SUE HARDEE (Adpt Dgtr of Howard Gary Hardee H.47)
b. 13 January 1975, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.66 MARY TABITHA HARDEE (Dgtr of Howard Gary Hardee H.47)
b. 09 October 1981, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.67 JESSICA MARIE HARDEE (Dgtr of Howard Gary Hardee H.47)
b. 21 April 1986, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.68 JULIE DIANE CRAWFORD (Dgtr of Judy Maxine Finn H.48)
b. 16 June 1975, Montgomery, Montgomery, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.69 JAYNA MARLENE CRAWFORD (Dgtr of Judy Maxine Finn H.48)
b. 28 August 1976, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d. 21 September 1976,

I.70 MARCUS EUGENE CRAWFORD (Son of Judy Maxine Finn H.48)
b. 24 September 1980, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.71 TASHA DALENA FINN (Dgtr of Martha Diane Finn H.49)
b. 27 September 1977, Montgomery, Montgomery, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.72 AMANDA MERIE FINN (Dgtr of Ira Timothy Finn H.50)
b. 24 November 1983, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d. 24 November 1983,

I.73 MEGAN MERIE FINN (Dgtr of Ira Timothy Finn H.50)
b. 29 December 1984, Nice Ville, FL
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.74 LISA MICHELLE RAINWATER (Dgtr of Shirley Ann Strickland
b. 26 March 1965, Sylacauga, TAlladega, AL. H.51)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.75 DONALD ALAN RAINWATER (Son of Shirley Ann Strickland H.51)
b. 14 July 1970, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.76 RANDY BRIAN KISSIC (Son of Paula Edwina Strickland H.52)
b. 16 March 1976, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.77 JAMIE LYNN KISSIC (Son of Paula Edwina Strickland H.52)
b. 29 May 1980, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.78 JAMES EDWIN GOINS (Son of Deborah Lynn Strickland H.53)
b. 12 June 1973, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.79 BRUCE ALAN HUBBARD (Son of Mary Frances Armbrester H.55)
b. 23 September 1961, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.80 JEFFREY SCOTT HUBBARD (Son of Mary Frances Armbrester
b. 13 October 1963, Talladega, Talladega, AL. H.55)
d.
m. 24 April 1987, Talladega County, AL, Hepzibah Church.
To: Amy Leigh Gaither. b. 04 August 1967, Talladega, AL.
Their Children:
She is the daughter of Harvey Knight Gaither and wife Edna V. Morrow.

I.81 NENA LYNN HUBBARD (Dgtr of Mary Frances Armbrester H.55)
b. 11 August 1965, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.82 KYNNION ROBERT MAXWELL, JR. (Son of Kynnion R. Maxwell
b. 15 October 1962, Charleston, SC. H.56)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.83 ROBIN ELIZABETH MAXWELL (Dgtr of Kynnion Robert Maxwell
b. 01 May 1964, Charleston, SC. H.56)
d.
m.
To: Dale Emerich.
Their Children: J.11, J.12.

I.84 JIMMIE RUSSELL MAXWELL (Son of Kynnion Robert Maxwell H.56)
b. 10 January 1973, Columbia, Richland, SC.
d.

I.85 MICHAEL DAVID MAXWELL (Son of Arthur Ray Maxwell H.57)
b. 06 November 1968,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.86 TERESA ANN MAXWELL (Dgtr of Arthur Ray Maxwell H.57)
b. 26 July 1970,
d.
m.
To:

I.87 JOHNNY KEITH MAXWELL (Son of Johnny Earl Maxwell H.58)
b. 19 July 1960, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 10 September 1983, Munford, Talladega, AL.
To: Stephanie Angela Stewart.
Their Children:

I.88 JOEL EDWARD MAXWELL (Son of Johnny Earl Maxwell H.58)
b. 01 August 1962, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 30 April 1983, Munford, Talladega, AL.
To: Karen Denean Smith.
Their Children: J.13.

I.89 WILLIAM ALLEN MAXWELL (Son of Johnny Earl Maxwell H.58)
b. 13 November 1964, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.90 CAMELIA ANN MAXWELL (Dgtr of Johnny Earl Maxwell H.58)
b. 14 December 1965, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.103 PAUL DAVID FAIRCHILD (Son of Joan Renee Macomish H.74)
b. 10 December 1983, Dallas, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.104 BETHANY MICHELLE FAIRCHILD (Dgtr of Joan R. Macomish H.74)
b. 10 August 1985, Dallas, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.105 MICHAEL DARRON CALDWELL (Son of Richard Arnold Caldwell H.75)
b. 29 December 1971, Mobile, Mobile, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.106 AMY LYNN CALDWELL (Dgtr of Richard Arnold Caldwell H.75)
b. 29 September 1974, Mobile, Mobile, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.107 CHRISTOPHER MICHAEL CALDWELL (Son of Michael D. Caldwell H.76)
b. 22 November 1972, Mobile, Mobile, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.108 CATHERINE ADELL CALDWELL (Dgtr of Michael D. Caldwell H.76)
b. 19 November 1975, Mobile, Mobile, AL.
d.
m.
To:

I.109 CASEY DEWITT CALDWELL (Son of Michael Dewitt Caldwell H.76)
b. 24 June 1977, Mobile, Mobile County, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.110 ALEXANDRIA CHRISTINA MURPHY (Dgtr of Ralph Lynn Murphy H.77)
b. 6 September 1978, Atlanta, Fulton, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.111 TRACYE MARIE MURPHY (Dgtr of Ralph Lynn Murphy H.77)
b. 29 October 1979, Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.112 KATHERINE ELAINE MURPHY (Dgtr of Hoyt Milford Murphy H.78)
b. 11 October 1978, Marietta, Cobb Co., GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.113 SAMANTHA ANNE MURPHY (Dgtr of Hoyt Milford Murphy H.78)
b. 29 December 1981, Marietta, Cobb Co., GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.114 GARY DUANE BARNETT (Son of Kay Ann Caldwell H.79)
b. 10 February 1977, Orlando, Orange, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.115 JEFFREY STEVEN BARNETT (Son of Kay Ann Caldwell H.79)
b. 29 December 1982, Orlando, Orange, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.116 CHARLES ROBERT CALDWELL, JR. (Son of Charles R. Caldwell H.80)
b. 02 April 1984, Homestead, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.117 CRAIG ALEXANDER CALDWELL (Son of Charles Robert Caldwell H.80)
b. 10 December 1985, South Miami, Dade, Fl.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.118 ANGELA BROOK CARDWELL (Dgtr of Lisa Gayle Pate H.81)
b. 16 June 1982, Tullahoma, Coffee, TN.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.119 JOSEPH DAVID CARDWELL (Son of Lisa Gayle Pate H.81)
b. 29 July 1983, Tullahoma, Coffee, TN.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.120 TERRI LYNN BANKS (Dgtr of Milton Elvie Banks H.84)
b. 01 September 1975, Tuscaloosa, Tuscaloosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.121 CHARLES GREGORY ENTREKIN (Son of Ruth Annette Banks H.85)
b. 07 July 1969, Nashville, Davidson, TN.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.122 AMY ANNETTE ENTREKIN (Dgtr of Ruth Annette Banks H.85)
b. 10 April 1973, Nashville, Davidson, TN.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.123 WALTER DEXTER ISBELL, JR. (Son of Walter D. Isbell H.8
b. 15 December 1956, Detroit, Wayne, MI.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.124 CHARLES RANDALL ISBELL (Son of Walter Dexter Isbell H.86)
b. 24 December 1960, Gadsden, Etowah, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.125 KRISTIN DIANE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Eric Wayne Caldwell H.91)
b. 20 December 1984, Idaho Falls, Bonneville, ID.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.126 ERICA LEE CALDWELL (Dgtr of Eric Wayne Caldwell H.91)
b. 03 October 1986, Fort McClellan AFB, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.127 ALLIE EDDINS (Dgtr of Victoria Pauline Harrison H.114)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.128 BRYAN ALLEN EVERETT (Son of Nancy Lynn Bell H.142)
b. 05 February 1976, Lake Village, Chicot, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.129 CHAD ALLEN EVERETT (Son of Nancy Lynn Bell H.142)
b. 29 December 1980, Greenville, Washington, MS.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.130 JOSEPH RANDALL BELL, JR. (Son of Joseph Randall Bell H.144)
b. 12 August 1984, Lake Providence, East Carroll, LA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.131 KRYSTLE MARIE WALTMAN (Dgtr of Martin Roy Waltman, III H.152)
b. 14 May 1986, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.132 LARRY GAYLON DAVIS, JR. Son of Marcel Waltman H.153)
b. 08 January 1984, Wichita, KS.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.133 CHRISTOPHER PAUL CALDWELL (Son of Paul Henry Caldwell
b. 31 August 1978, Little Rock, Pulaski, AR. H.170)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.134 SARAH MARGARET CALDWELL (Dgtr of Paul Henry Caldwell H.170)
b. 12 December 1980, Pine Bluff, Jefferson, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.135 WILLIAM THOMAS CALDWELL (Son of Paul Henry Caldwell H.1.
b. 08 August 1982, Monticello, Drew, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.136 JOSHUA CLAY PIERCE (Son of Lisa Tyrone H.172)
b. 07 May 1984, Benton, Saline, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.137 KATIE DANIELLE RICKS (Dgtr of Erma Jacquese Clark H.178)
b. 07 August 1986, Bastrop, Morehouse, LA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.138 GARY JAMES ADAMS (Son of Steven Wayne Adams H.194)
b. 29 March 1979, Modesto, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.139 BARRY WAYNE ADAMS (Son of Steven Wayne Adams H.194)
b. 07 March 1985, Searcy, White, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.140 BRIAN LYNN CALDWELL ADAMS (Son of Adam Lynn Adams H.195)
b. 17 October 1984, Jacksonville, Pulaski, AR.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.141 PERRY O'CONNELL GRAGG (Son of David Scott Gragg H.208)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

I.142 WILLIAM STUART KING (Son of Lucy Ann Gragg H.209)
b. 18 October 1985, San Antonio, Bexar, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 1 MARY ELAINE DAVIS (Dgtr of Jamie Elaine Schell I.1)
b. 19 January 1983, West Palm Beach, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 2 JOSEPH KEITH DAVIS (Son of Jamie Elaine Schell I.1)
b. 05 May 1984, Dothan, Houston, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 3 CRAIG GEORGE CAMPBELL, JR. (Son Craig G. Campbell I.5)
b. 07 July 1982, Edwards AFB, San Bernardino, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 4 MATTHEW WAYNE PITTMAN (Son of Carrie Gail Campbell I.6)
b. 11 October 1984, Humble, Harris, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 5 JESSICA MARINDA FORRY (Dgtr of Tina Jo LaTaste I.46)
b. 22 November 1985, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 6 KEANON ASHLEY INGRAM, III (Son of Rita Joyce Price I.50)
b. 17 January 1984, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 7 KRISTOPHER INGRAM (Son of Rita Joyce Price I.50)
b. 26 May 1986, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 8 ELIZABETH GRACE HERRERA (Dgtr of Anita Jill Bearden
b. 14 July 1983, Pasadena, TX. I.52)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J. 9 RUSSELL ANTHONY HERRERA, JR. (Son of Anita J. Bearden
b. 15 January 1985, Pasadena, TX. I.52)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

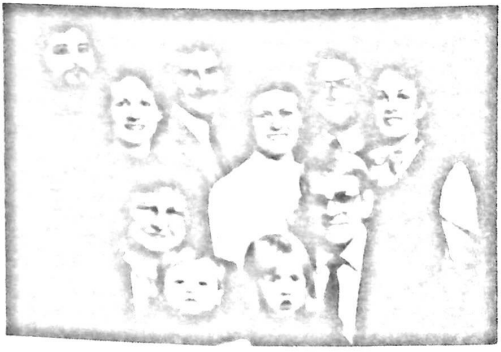
J.10 DANIEL GRAHAM (Son of Rodney Gene Graham I.54)
b. 26 April 1984, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J.11 TABATHA ELIZABETH EMERICH (Dgtr of Robin E. Maxwell I.83)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J.12 TIFFANY LYNN EMERICH (Dgtr of Robin Elizabeth Maxwell I.83)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J.13 JENNIFER ERIN MAXWELL (Dgtr of Joel Edward Maxwell I.88)
b. 24 January 1984, Dallas, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

J.14 JESSICA LOUISE O'CONNOR (Dgtr of Valleria Kaye Nelson I.92)
b. 13 September 1986, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:



THE CALVIN CHAPPELL FAMILY

(Front, L/R) Lois Mildred Chappell G.54; Zachary DuVerney, II.80; Ca Dawn DuVerney, II.79; Calvin Chap (rear, L/R): Thomas F. DuVerney, Brenda Chappell DuVerney, H.70; Burt Alan Chappell, H.69; Sandra Seglem Chappell; Stephen B. Hopper, Barbara Chappell Hopper, H.68.

LUCILLE F. CALDWELL

Shown on the right are Ann Amelia Ward, G.55, Lucille Caldwell Brown, F.17, Lois M. Chappell, G.54 and Leta Mae Camp, G.52. Mrs. Brown is the daughter of John Edgar Caldwell, E.2.

APPENDIX A

SOME DESCENDANTS OF JOHN GORDON CALDWELL (C.16) AND PATRICK HENRY CALDWELL (COLWELL) (E.33)

This appendix contains information on descendants of John Gordon Caldwell (c.16), the Alabama Line and Patrick Henry Caldwell (Colwell) (E.33) which was received after the completion of the main body of this book and the indexing thereof.

Descendants of John Gordon Caldwell in this section are some of the Vincent, Tyra, Womack, Wesson, Tharin, Dunn, Martin, Edmondson, Brickhouse, Bryant, families, etc.

Descendants of the Patrick Henry Caldwell (Colwell) line are the Haags, Colwells, Taylors, Dunsirns, Kemps, Holcombs, Edwardses, Lees, Williamses, Andersons, etc.

This important late arriving material was furnished by Mrs. Leta Mae Camp (the John Gordon Caldwell line), Mrs. Conn C. Thomas, Mrs. Kaye Kemp Taylor, Mr. Merwin Harrell Haag and others, (the Patrick Henry Colwell line).

In order to document and list this material in a way that would be compatible with the lineages in the main body of the book it was necessary to assign individuals a double letter code. For example: children of a G.00 individual in the main section is listed as HH.00 in this appendix. A case in point is that of the descendants of Patrick Henry Caldwell (Colwell), E.33. We did not have any information to speak of on his children and other descendants when the main section was completed. Therefore, E.33's children are listed in this appendix as FF.00. and their children as GG.00. and so on down the line.

You will note that in some cases an HH.00. will be listed as the child of a G.00. This will tell you immediately to refer to the main section for more information on this parent. For instance: HH.22. Robbie Jean Dunn's parent is listed as Louise Vernell Wesson, G.45. In this case you will go back to G.45 in the main section for information about G.45.

I hope this will not prove to be perplexing to you but it was the only way we could include these late-found cousins.

PATRICK HENRY CALDWELL AND HIS DESCENDANTS

This section is comprised of the history of Patrick Henry Caldwell (Colwell) E.33 and his descendants. He was the son of William A. Caldwell D.39 and his wife Mary A. Lyle.

A descendant, Kay Kemp Taylor, of Abernathy, Texas has written an interesting sketch detailing the life and times of this Caldwell link in the chain of our ancestors and I have reproduced it below.

PATRICK HENRY COLWELL

by

Kay Kemp Taylor

It was a long, eventful journey that brought this Scotch-Irishman, Patrick Henry Colwell from his birthplace in Coweta County, Georgia to his farm four miles southwest of Sylvester. But the journey commenced long before this, when his ancestors arrived on the shores of the new world in the early 1700's. His great-grandfathers fought in the American Revolution, and his father died probably of yellow fever while a soldier in Civil War. Many of Henry's ancestors settled in the Abbeville District of South Carolina before migrating by covered wagon to Georgia and then on to Itawamba County, Mississippi, shortly before the Civil War. In the 1890's Henry, with his young wife and two small daughters, journeyed by train to Texas.

All evidence points to the fact that Henry's parents were both Scotch-Irish. Tradition has it that the Caldwells (or Colwells) went northward, through Scotland, mingling with the people, who were adherents of John Knox, the Scots Reformer, thus becoming Presbyterians. Traveling through the highlands of Scotland into the north of Ireland, they became Scots-Irish. One of his mother's forefathers wrote that the Lyles were Scotch and married in Ireland about 1650 and lived in the vicinity of Lorne in County Antrim. Their descendant, David Lyle, came to America. Another interesting fact written about his ancestors was that Robert Lyle entertained Rev. John Wesley in Ireland.

The date was March 2, 1855, when Patrick Henry made his appearance and became a part of the family of William A. Caldwell (son of William H. and Jane Allen Caldwell) and Mary A. (daughter of Charles and Mary Kirby Lyle). Other children included Nancy, John, Mosuria, Sarah, Charles and Dawsey. As a small boy Henry migrated from Georgia to Mississippi with his parents. In the early stages of the Civil War Henry lost his father and experienced terror many times as soldiers journeyed by their little farm. Henry often told how he was almost caught by Union soldiers due to the fact that he was determined to change into his long pants (a sign of coming manhood) before escaping into the woods.

In Fulton, Mississippi, Henry took a lovely, young bride, Mary E. Warren, on December 23, 1875. Mary was born in September 1859 in Saint Clair County, Alabama (daughter of Albert and Priscilla Newton).

PATRICK HENRY COLWELL, E.33, son of WILLIAM A. CALDWELL, D.39.

MARY ELIZABETH WARREN COLWELL, wife of PATRICK HENRY COLWELL, E.33.

Her great-grandfather was Thomas Newton, a Presbyterian Minister in Georgia. To this union ten children were born: Beatrice (Mrs. Ben Kemp, McCaulley), Ziporah (Mrs. John Anderson), Albert, Sidney, Velma, Roy, Joyce, Ella, Herbert (killed in World War I) and Minnie.

FF. 70 BEATRICE CORDELIA COLWELL (dgtr of Patrick H. Colwell E.33)
b. 14 October 1877, Fulton, Itawamba, MS.
d. 24 March 1976, McCaully, Fisher, TX.
m. 07 September 1898, Sylvester, Fisher, TX.
To: Benjamin Franklin Kemp.
Their Children: GG.1, GG.2, GG.3, GG.4, GG.5, GG.6, GG.7 GG.8, GG.9, GG.10, GG.11, GG.12.

Her husband was born on 2 January 1872 in Bell County, Texas, the son of Zach Kemp and his wife Louise A. Glazener. He was a farmer. He died on 14 October 1958 and is buried in McCaulley, Fisher County, Texas.

In 1948 Mrs. Beatrice Kemp wrote a short autobiography and it is quoted in part:

"Born October 14, 1877 in Mississippi. Moved to Alabama when two and to Texas when three years in Fannin County. There three years and moved to Ellis County. Started to school in Grayson County, age eigh to a little one teacher school in the woods. Went to two teacher school for two years at Auburn in Ellis County. Then moved to the We Runnels County and didn't go to school at all that year, no school closer than nine miles. Boarded and went to school at Content, Runnels County for two years. Three years to a little country one teacher school near our home in 1895.

My family let me stay with my aunt, Mrs. Summitt, in Whitesboro, Grayson County and go to high school. This was a graded school. I was put in the ninth grade, the highest grade in school. Some of those subjects I had already taken in the little country school. I graduated and got my high school diploma at that school. I took music from Miss Lura Crutchfield that year and when school was out I visited my cousins in Oklahoma and my uncle and grandmother at Gordonville, Texas. Then returned to my West Texas home. I met the man that I married pretty soon after I returned home from school. We became sweethearts in a few months and were engaged in about a year and were married the next year."

In 1974 she was named Fisher County Outstanding Senior Citizen, and some of the facts about her that were written at that time are as follows:

"...Mrs. Kemp is a charter member of the McCaulley Methodist Church where she taught s Sunday School Class regularly until 14 years ago. She has taught as a substitute teacher much of the time since that and still attends church almost every Sunday. The women nominating her her said, 'she is an avid Bible scholar - able to lead in any discussion about the words of her Lord.' She was a charter member of the McCaulley Home Demonstration Club and took first place in the state for "Living Room Improvements."

B. FRANK HAAG husband of VELMA COLWELL, FF.74.

VELMA COLWELL, FF.74, daughter of PATRICK HENRY COLWELL, E.33 and wife of B. FRANK HAAG.

FF. 71 ZIPPORAH COLWELL (dgtr of Patrick Henry Colwell E.33)
b. 08 January 1880, Talladega County, AL.
d. 18 May 1953, Abiline, Taylor, TX.
m.
To: John Henry Anderson.
Their Children: GG.13, GG.14, GG.15, GG.16, GG.17, GG.18, GG.19.

FF. 72 ALBERT HENRY COLWELL (son of Patrick H. Colwell E.33)
b. February 1883,
d. CA.
m. (1). (2).
To:(1). Allie McCain (2). Sarah _____
Their Children:

FF. 73 SIDNEY ASBURY COLWELL (son of Patrick H. Colwell E.?
b. December 1885, Ellis County, TX.
d. 1966, El Paso, TX.
m. (1). 1920,
To: (1). Alma Hay Love. (died 02 December 1920).
m. (2).
To: Lulu _____
Their Children: (1): GG.20.
(2):

His family moved from Ellis to Runnels and then Fisher County, Texas in 1897. He attended a one-teacher school near the family farm in Fisher County. When he was fourteen the family moved to Sylvester where he completed his schooling and grew to manhood.

For several years Sidney operated a hardware and furniture store in Sylvester. In 1920 he married Alma Hay Love, a widow, who died 02 December 1920 in Clint, Texas at the birth of a daughter, Sidney Alma Caldwell

His obituary in an El Paso newspaper stated that he had been a resident of El Paso for 54 years, was a former county surveyor, was formerly employed by the U.S. Reclamation Service, a charter member of Fabens Masonic Lodge No. 1202, a life member of the Sertoma Club, and a Kentucky Colonel. He was survived by his wife Elizabeth of El Paso, two daughters, Mrs. Phyllis Action, El Paso and Mrs. Sidney A. Harwood, San Angelo, Texas, a son R. H. Caldwell, Casa Grande, AZ, five sisters, Mrs. Beatrice Kemp, McCauley, TX, Mrs. Velma Haag, Midland, Mrs. Joyce Poore, Abiline, Mrs. Ella Scott, Hamlin, and Mrs. Minnie Ward, Fort Worth, TX, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

(The above information was submitted by Addilese Haag Thomas, 2410 W. Louisiana, Midland, TX.

FF. 74 VELMA COLWELL (dgtr of Patrick Henry Colwell E.33)
b. 28 December 1888, Auburn, Ellis, TX.
d. 17 April 1982, Midland, TX.
m. 18 August 1912, Sweetwater, TX.
To: Benjamin Franklin Haag.
Their Children: GG.21, GG.22

Her husband Benjamin Franklin Haag was born on 06 February 1886 at Jacksboro, Jack County, TX, the son of Englebert Haag and his wife Martha Jane Elvira Owen. He died on 13 July 1933 at San Angelo, Tom Green County, TX.

The following is a biographical sketch submitted by Velma Caldwell Haag's daughter Addilese Haag Thomas:

"My mother Velma Caldwell Haag moved from Runnels County with her family to Fisher County about 1897. Born in Ellis County in 1888, Velma was the daughter of Patrick Henry and Mary Elizabeth Warren Colwell. She recalled as a child of nine the execitement of the overland trip... the carvan of wagons crossing Runnels and Taylor Counties, spending the night at Merkel in a wagon yard, and the continuing journey over Nolan County into Fisher County. They settled on a farm west of Sylvester on Plum Creek.

In 1898 her oldest sister Bea married Ben Kemp and Zip married John Anderson, leaving Velma the oldest girl. Twice a year the family went by wagon to Merkel, a railroad town, to purchase necessary supplies. When Velma was 12, her parents took the smaller children and left her in charge. A drummer came by and shared the family meal. He complimented her cooking and gave her a "half-dime." While her mother was away she made her first dress. After that sewing success Velma made her own clothes...

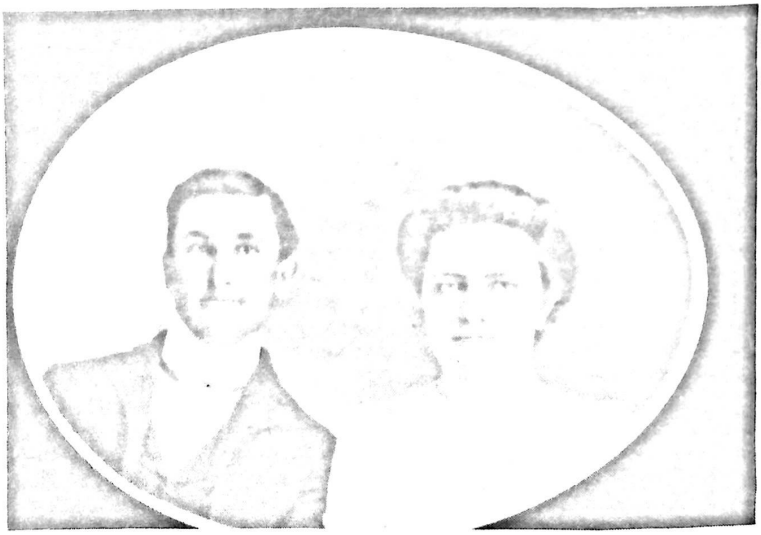
The Colwell children attended a one-teacher country school with the older boys driving the hack. Lunch was packed in syrup buckets. The family regularly attended the Methodist Church. On Saturday meals were prepared and often friends were invited to share Sunday dinner. Before church, Velma's mother packed a large satchel with the left-over breakfast biscuits which the hungry children munched on during the long trip home for a late dinner.

About 1902 the family moved to Sylvester. Upon completing the local schooling, Velma attended 'normal school' at Sweetwater to prepare for teaching. From Ben Kemp she borrowed $20.00 to pay tuition, room and board. Her first teacher's certificate was issued in 1905. She taught in Indian Territory at Woodville, Oklahoma, living with the family of Uncle Polk Warren. While attending Southwestern University at Georgetown, Texas in 1909, Velma met her future husband, B. Frank Haag. She returned home to take care of her invalid mother and to teach in Sylvester. Her mother died in 1911. Velma spent the summer of 1912 in Sweetwater with Mrs. W. W. Kirk, a friend whose husband was campaigning. She help Mrs. Kirk with her children, made her trousseau and married B. Frank Haag August 18, 1912 in the Kirk's home. The newlyweds made their home in Andrews, Texas where Frank was owner and editor of the Andrews County Times. There Velma taught school, A daughter

VELMA COLWELL, FF.74, daughter of PATRICK HENRY COLWELL, E.33 This photograph taken in 1905.

SIDNEY ASBURY COLWELL, FF.73, son of PATRICK HENRY COLWELL, E.33. Photograph taken in 1920.

HERBERT COLWELL, FF.78, son of PATRICK HENRY COLWELL, E.33. This photograph taken at Camp Bowie, Texas, 1917-1918.



ALBERT HNERY COLWELL, FF.72, son of PATRICK HENRY COLWELL, E.33 and his wife Allie Colwell. Photograph taken in 1900.

Addilese was born in 1914. In 1915 Frank sold the newspaper and moved to Midland to study law. Soon afterwards a son, Merwin, was born. Frank passed the bar examination in 1916. He was appointed County Attorney.

My mother was famous for her light bread made from an everlasting yeast of potato water. One of my happiest childhood memories is the smell of freshly baked bread. My mother and daddy were lifelong members of the Methodist Church. Mother served as president of the Women's Missionary Society while Daddy served as chairman of the Board of Stewards. They both taught Sunday School classes. Daddy was very civic minded; served on the school board, was mayor of Midland, helped organize the Chamber of Commerce, was a charter member of the Rotary and Midland Country Clubs. In 1931 he was elected State Representative. Returning with other Midland civic leaders from a Highway Commission hearing in Austin, an automobile accident cut his life short in 1933.

Velma was a widow for nearly 50 years living until April 17, 1982. She enjoyed remarkably good health and lived in her home until 90. Always she kept busy with church work and sewing. Her five grandchildren considered her a friend and confidant. They were: Barbara Haag Shepard and Janice Haag Dunsirn (children of son, Merwin Haag and wife, Merle Caffey Haag) and Ronald Frank, Rea Conn and Roger Haag Thomas (children of daughter Addilese Haag Thomas and husband, Conn C. Thomas)."

FF. 75 J. ROY COLWELL (son of Patrick Henry Colwell E.33)
b. February 1890, TX.
d. 1941, CA.
m. Never married.

He is buried in Sylvester, Texas.

FF. 76 JOYCE NEWTON COLWELL (dgtr of Patrick H. Colwell E.33)
b. January 1892, TX.
d.
m.
To: R. C. Poore.
Their Children:

FF. 77 ELLA LAVINA COLWELL (dgtr of Patrick H. Colwell E.33)
b. 24 October 1893, TX.
d. 06 December 1974, buried in Sylvester, TX.
m. ca 1910/11.
To: Henry Scott.
Their Children: Charles H. (30 DEC 1911), Elizabeth (10 AUG 1920).

FF.78 HERBERT H. COLWELL (son of Patrick Henry Colwell E.33)
b. 05 May 1896, Runnels County, TX.
d. 03 August 1918, aboard troopship bound for France.
m. never married.

His niece, Addilese Haag Thomas, of Midland, Texas has provided us with a short biography of Herbert Caldwell.

"Herbert H. Caldwell was born May 5, 1896 in Runnels County. He was the youngest son and ninth living child of Patrick Henry and Mary Elizabeth Warren Colwell. He moved with his family to Fisher County and grew to manhood in Sylvester. His mother died in 1911. From old letters written to his sister Velma, I know that he began his military training at Camp Bowie, Fort Worth in 1917. Sergeant Herbert H. Colwell of Supply Company of the 141st U. S. Infantry was shipped to France probably in July of 1918. He died August 3, 1918 on shipboard as a result of emergency appendectomy shortly before the ship arrived in France. His body was returned on the same ship which arrived at Camp Merritt, Hoboken, New Jersey August 26th. His family was notified of his death and his body arrived at Sylvester accompanied by a military escort on August 31. Services were held at the Baptist Church in Sylvester, conducted by Rev. C. E. Jameson of the M. E. Church of Hamlin. Herbert had come home to Sylvester and was buried beside his mother..."

FF. 79 MINNIE BERNICE COLWELL (dgtr of Patrick H. Colwell E.33)
b. 20 February 1899, Sylvester, Fisher, TX.
d. 15 March 1985, Fort Lauderdale, FL.
m. (1) about 1915 (2) 06 March 1923
To: (1) Carl Reeves. (2) Hazzie Ward.
Their Children: (1) Harold Reeves (died at age 3 yrs.)
(2) Ella Louise Ward (see addenda, page 437)

Her daughter, Ella Louise Ward Gould, 360 SE 5th Terrace, Pompano Beach, FL 33060, writes, "Nannie Bernice Caldwell (Minnie) hated her given name so she renamed herself as Minnie as she was known. My mother was not a person to talk about herself or childhood so felt she was not very happy in growing up. Her mother was an invalid from childhood and never spoke. Her father was unusually strict and over protective because she was the baby in that family. At age 16 she ran away with a cottonpicker, a hired hand and got married to a man called Carl Reeves. Out of this marriage a son, Harold Reeves, was born. He died at age 3. About six months later she got a divorce. She was working as a waitress in a coffee shop in Wichita Falls, Texas and met a widower with a 3 year old son. The man was my father, Hazzie Ward. His son was Joe Billy Ward..." Hazzie Ward died 3 December 1969 at Fort Worth, Texas. He was born 25 November 1891. They are both buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Fort Worth, Texas.

FF. 80 DORSEY (DOSS) GUESS (son of Sarah Frances Colwell E.34)
b. 27 August 1884. d. 30 October 1963.
m. To: Alice Whitworth.

FF. 81 CURTIS GUESS (son of Sarah Frances Colwell E.34)
b. December 1886 d.
m. To: Reba Stevens.

FF. 82 CORDELIA GUESS (dgtr of Sarah Frances Caldwell E.34)
b. June 1891, MS.
d.
m.
To: Cheator Harbor.
Their Children:

FF. 83 CRAYTON GUESS (son of Sarah Frances Caldwell E.34)
b. 11 October 1892, MS.
d. 31 August 1911,
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 84 CARLISLE CHARLES GUESS (son of Sarah F. Caldwell E.34)
b. 04 April 1895, MS.
d. 14 October 1912,
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 85 ITHAS A. CALDWELL (dgtr of Charles W. Caldwell E.35)
b. December 1881,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 86 LEAR E. CALDWELL (dgtr of Charles W. Caldwell E.35)
b. October 1882,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 87 CLOUDY L. CALDWELL (son of Charles W. Caldwell E.35)
b. March 1887,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 88 BIRTIE V. CALDWELL (dgtr of Charles W. Caldwell E.35)
b. April 1889,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 89 CORDIE M. CALDWELL (dgtr of Charles W. Caldwell E.35)
b. March 1891,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 90 JOHN H. CALDWELL (son of Charles W. Caldwell E.35)
b. May 1893,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 91 WILLIAM T. CALDWELL (son of Charles W. Caldwell E.35)
b. September 1895,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

FF. 92 CALINE CALDWELL (dgtr of Charles W. Caldwell E.35)
b. October 1897,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

GG. 1 RALPH F. KEMP (son of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 23 July 1899, McCaulley, Fisher, TX.
d.
m.
To: Addie
Their Children: HH.43, HH.44.

GG. 2 CLYDE D. KEMP (son of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 04 September 1900, McCaulley, Fisher, TX.
d.
m. 27 November 1921,
To: Pearl Milsap.
Their Children: None.

GG. 3 RAYMOND KEMP (son of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 31 December 1901,
d.
m.
To: Grace Jarnigan.
Their Children: HH.45, HH.46, HH.47.

GG. 4 FAYE KEMP (dgtr of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 16 August 1903,
d.
m.
To: James Holcomb.
Their Children: HH.48, HH.49.

GG. 5 FRAZIER KEMP (son of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 01 May 1906,
d.
m.
To: Billie
Their Children: None.

GG. 6 WARREN J. KEMP (son of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 25 June 1907,
d.
m. 11 January 1936,
To: Sylvina Kiser.
Their Children: None.

GG. 7 RUTH KEMP (dgtr of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 15 March 1909,
d.
m.
To: Russell
Their Children: HH.50, HH.51

GG. 8 BENJAMIN REX KEMP (son of Beatrice C. Colwell FF.70)
b. 24 September 1911, McCaulley, Fisher, TX.
d.
m. 15 December 1935,
To: Mamye Lee Fields.
Their Children: HH.52, HH.53

GG. 9 FRANK KEMP (son of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 26 February 1913,
d.
m.
To: Irene _____ _.
Their Children: HH.54 (adopted)

GG. 10 FRED KEMP (son of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 26 February 1913,
d. 18 July 1984, McCaulley, Fisher, TX.
m. 11 October 1946,
To: Dycie Ward.
Their Children: HH.55, HH.56

GG. 11 NITA KEMP (dgtr of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 02 August 1914,
d.
m.
To: Scott Lee.
Their Children: HH.57, HH.58

GG.12 GUY S. KEMP (son of Beatrice Cordelia Colwell FF.70)
b. 30 July 1916,
d.
m. 19 April 1945,
To: Frances Katherine Pope.
Their Children: none.

GG.13 _____ ANDERSON (son of Zipporiah Colwell FF.71)
b. 25 May 1900, Rising Star, TX.
d. 25 May 1900, Rising Star, TX.

GG.14 VIVIAN HENRY ANDERSON (dgtr of Zipporiah Colwell FF.71)
b. 21 March 1902, Rising Star, TX.
d. 23 April 1902, Rising Star, TX.

GG.15 FOY WYNN ANDERSON (son of Zipporiah Colwell FF.71)
b. 03 March 1903, Rising Star, TX.
d. 11 March 1903, Rising Star, TX.

GG.16 HELEN LEE ANDERSON (dgtr of Zipporiah Colwell FF.71)
b. 04 April 1904, Roby, Fisher County, TX.
d.
m. 04 August 1931, Abiline, Taylor County, TX.
To: Robert Leroy Williams.
Their Children: HH.59.

Her husband was born on 10 August 1901 in Indian Territory, the son of William B. Williams and his wife Mary K. Hayes, he died 10 March 1973.

GG.17 SIDNEY THOMAS ANDERSON (son of Zipporiah Colwell FF.71)
b. 07 November 1906, McCaulley, Fisher County, TX.
d. 08 October 1985, San Angelo, TX.
m. 22 February 1931, Tahoka, Lynn County, TX.
To: Lillian Henry.
Their Children: HH.60.

He was an agent for Mobil Oil Company in Winters, Texas and was a Presbyterian. His wife was born 05 October 1908 in Austin, Travis, TX.

GG.18 _____ ANDERSON (son of Zipporiah Colwell FF.71)
b. 22 April 1909, McCaulley, Fisher County, TX.
d. 06 May 1909, McCaulley, Fisher County, TX.

GG.19 MARY EMMA ANDERSON (dgtr of Zipporiah Colwell FF.71)
b. 16 July 1910, Hamlin, Jones County, TX.
d.
m. 07 May 1932, Abiline, Taylor County, TX.
To: Rigdon Edwards, Jr.
Their Children: HH.61, HH.62, HH.63.

Her husband was born on 06 February 1910 in Duncan, Stephens County, Oklahoma, the son of Rigdon Edwards and his wife Ida Stacy Cozby. He was a distributor of Mobil Oil Products.

They are members of the Methodist Church. She is a homemaker and taught school for many years.

Address (1987): 18 Club Terrace, Sweetwater, TX 79556.

GG.20 SIDNEY ALMA COLWELL (dgtr of Sidney A. Colwell FF.73)
b. 12 February 1920, Clint, TX.
d.
m. 25 April 1937, Abiline, Taylor County, TX.
To: Clifton V. Harwood.
Their Children: HH.64, HH.65.

Her husband was born on 29 July 1917 in Drasco , Texas, the son of B. F. Harwood and his wife Garland Lee. He was a barber.

They are members of the Methodist Church.

GG.21 ETHELYN ADDILESE HAAG (dgtr of Velma Colwell FF.74
b. 05 January 1914, Andrews, Andrews County, TX.
d.
m. 09 June 1935,
To: Constantine Culbertson Thomas.
Their Children: HH.66, HH.67, HH.68.

Born in Andrews, Texas where her mother was a school teacher and her father owner and publisher of the Andrews County Times, her family moved to Midland in 1915. Her father, B. Frank Haag studied law, passed the bar examination and became a practicing attorney in 1916.

She attended Midland public schools and following graduation in 1930 she attended Southwestern University in Georgetown, Texas for two years. In 1934 she received a B.A. degree from the University of Texas at Austin where she was a member of the Alpha Delta Pi sorority and a Blue Bonnet Belle Nominee.

Conn C. Thomas, her college sweetheart from Southwestern days, and Addilese were married on June 9, 1935. He was an accountant. He was born on25 September 1912 in Grimes County, Texas, the son of Buck Culbertson Thomas and his wife Connie Florine Rea. He died 18 September 1983 at Odessa, Texas and is buried in Fairview Cemetery, Midland, Texas. Addilese and Conn both belong to the Methodist Church.

ADDILESE HAAG THOMAS, GG.21, daughter of VELMA COLWELL, FF.74, granddaughter of PATRICK HENRY COLWELL, E.33.

CONN C. THOMAS husband of ADDILESE HAAG THOMAS, GG.21.

While her children were growing up she was active in P.T.A., Scouts, DeMolay Mothers and various church groups. She is a member of Southwestern University Alumnae, Boone Bible Class and United Methodist Women of the First Methodist Church in Midland, Women's Club and the Faceter's Guild. She served as Show PUblicity Chairman and Secretary for the Midland Gem and Mineral Society and president for two years of the Midland A. D. Pi Alumnae and was awarded a certificte of Honor. Presently (1987) she is Newsletter Editor for the Midland Genealogical Society.

During her senior year, 1933-34, she worked for the State Department of Education in Austin and continued after her marriage in 1935. Upon her return to Midland in 1937 she was a legal secretary for a Midland law firm. After the birth of her first son she was a fulltime homemaker, returning to work when her oldest son entered college. During these years she was an executive secretary for the Western Company and independent oil operators in Midland. She now qualifies herself as a "professional grandmother and cookie-maker" for her eight grandsons and three granddaughters.

Address (1987): 2410 West Louisiana, Midland, Texas 79701.

GG.22 MERWIN HARRELL HAAG (son of Velma Colwell FF.74)
b. 27 December 1915, Midland, Midland County, TX.
d.
m. 25 February 1939, Big Spring, Howard County, TX.
To: Willie Merle Caffey.
Their Children: HH.69, HH.70.

Merwin Haag has provided us with a short sketch and his memories of his grandfather Patrick Henry Colwell, E.33 and some of his Colwell aunts.

"My grandfather, Patrick Henry Colwell, was born 1855 in Coweta County, Georgia, the son of William A. Caldwell and Mary Lyle. (I was working through the Lyle line to establish my eligibility for the SAR (Sons of the American Revolution), but now the Colwell line seems to be my best route). Patrick Henry had three brothers, John M., Charles, and D. B. L. "Doss" and two sisters, Sarah and Nancy. They moved to Itawamba County, Miss. about 1861. Somewhere along the way the way the spelling of the name was changed from Caldwell to Colwell. I find it spelled three different ways on the records of Itawamba County, Miss. On Patrick Henry's marriage records it is spelled Calwell and on some of the deed records it was spelled Colwell and Cauldwell. Patrick Henry's father died during the Civil War of wounds or Yellow fever. Patrick was left without a father at an early age. He amrried Mary Elizabeth Warren in 1875 in Itawamba County, Miss. After a brief stay in Alabama Patrick Henry and his wife Mary Elizabeth moved to Ellis County, Texas where my mother, Velma (Colwell, FF.74) was born. They moved to Sylvester in Fisher County, Texas around 1897 and purchased 640 acres of land. Twelve children were born to Patrick Henry and Mary Elizabeth, two children died in infancy. Patrick Henry's sons moved away from Sylvester to seek

MERWIN HARRELL HAAG, GG.22

MERLE CAFFEY HAAG, wife of
MERWIN HARRELL HAAG.

their fortune elsewhere, Albert and Roy moved to California and I never knew them well. Sidney settled in El Paso and would often stop by for a visit on his way to Sylvester to visit his other sisters. Herbert was killed during the first world war and I never knew him. My aunts were Beatrice "Bea" (FF.70), Zippora "Zip" (FF.71), Ella (FF.77), Joyce (FF.76), and Minnie (FF.79). I remember that for many years the Colwell sisters would come to Midland and visit and my mother would take us to Sylvester for family reunions and at other times we would spend several weeks visting around with each of my mother's sisters. It was great fun playing with all of my cousins, fishing in the Clear Fork of the Brazos and visiting with all of the older Colwells. My grandmother Colwell died in 1911 and I never knew her. Grandfather Colwell remarried but I do not remember her name. Grandfather Colwell retired about 1913, he sold his farm and moved to Sweetwater, Texas where he died on October 19, 1926 when I was only ten years old. Grandfather Colwell was always known to be a hard-working and frugal man. He was a leading and useful citizen in his community and was respected by all who knew him. I have always been proud of the Colwell family because of their solid Christian example and the continued success of the descendants of Patrick Henry Caldwell."

The following is an interesting and informative family sketch written by Merwin Harrell Haag which illustrates his deep devotion to family and pays tribute to those intrepid ancestors of us all who set us such inspiring examples as a blueprint for our own lives.

"I was born on a cold December day in 1915. The wind blew the snow up in drifts on the north side of the house. One week after I was born my father left for El Paso, Texas, to take his bar examination and in February 1916 he received his license to practice law and was admitted to the Bar. Mother and father soon found out that just because he had been admitted to the Bar that that alone did not mean instant success. Many times when dad would have to go out of town on a case he did not have enough money to stay at a hotel, so he took his bed roll and slept under the stars. Mother would prepare enough food to last him while he was away from home.

When I was four years old my father had occasion to go to El Paso, Texas to plead a case before the Court of Civil Appeals and he took me with him. We rode the T & P to El Paso - just the two of us. I do not remember what the case was about but I do recall the great sense of pride I felt watching my father present his case in such an eloquent manner. After the business had been attended to we rode the street car to the Zoo. This was a memorable experience for me because this was my first trip to a big city.

My mother, Velma (Colwell) Haag, FF.74, was a great cook as were all of the Colwell girls. One of mother's specialties was her home baked bread. When she married and left her home in Fisher County, Texas, one of the things that she took with her was a yeast-starter which had a potato-water base and needed to be renewed once a week. She always baked her bread on Wednesday and it seemed that on that day I became very popular, because there were always several small boys playing near mother's kitchen door and at about 2:30 every Wednesday afternoon she would call and give each of us a slice of hot bread with butter and honey spread on it.

Mother kept this yeast active up until she gave up housekeeping. Mother was a good cook in every respect. At the first news of illness or death in a family she would be one of the first to appear with a pan of rolls ready to pop in the overn or a fresh baked pie or cake. At least once a year the Womans Missionary Society of the First Mehtodist Church would have a bake sale and mother would bake an angel food cake for the sale. On one occasion of such sale mother put my sister Addilese and me in the back seat of the car and the cake in the front seat and went back into the house for some reason. I climbed over into the front seat and released the brake and the car began to roll out of the garage. Addilese became very excited and jumped over the seat to try to stop the car and put her foot down right in the middle of Mother's beautiful angel food cake. Mother gave a dollar to the Missionary Society in lieu of the cake and we had the remains of the cake.

My mother and father were anxious to give Addilese and me the opportunity to study and appreicate music. Addilese learned to play the piano and I played the saxophone and clarinet. We never became virtuoso in our field but we could produce something that at times sounded a lot like music. This training gave me the opportunity to play in the band while I was in Midland High School. My mother and father also afforded me training in elocution. I used this training to compete in declamation contests in junior high and high school. I won at home and in district and went to state three times during my years in high school and in my senior year I won third in state. In 1932 my father campaigned for the office of State Representative of the 88th District of Texas. The district covered an area equal to 1/10 of the size of Texas and was so larg in size that it made it impossible for him to appear at every campaign rally in each county, due to overlapping dates - so I hit the campaingn trail and filled in for him at the times when conflicts occurred - together we won the race.

I graduated from Midland High School in the Spring of 1933. That Summer on Jylu 13, 1933 my father was killed in an automobile accident. This left a great void in my life and my sense of grief was overwhelming. This was an extremely difficult time for my mother because all of a sudden whe was a widow with two teenage children to look out for and to educate. Mother, as always, seemed to rise to the occasion in the face of adversity and she vowed that nothing would stand in the way of our education. I enrolled in the University of Texas in the Fall of 1933 in the school of Business Administration studying business and finance. My father was a member of the Kappa Alpha Fraternity at Southwestern University in Georgetown, Texas and I followed in the family tradition and pledged and became a member of Kappa Alpha also. After leaving the University I returned to Midland and was office manager for Flaherty Drilling Company. Some time later on I became reacquainted with Merle Caffey - a girl that I knew while in high school. At that time she was a 13 year old freshman and I was a 17 year old senior and my how she had changed in five years. We fell in love and Merle and I were married February 25, 1939. I guess it was the real thing for here we are 48 years later and we are still together. Merle graduated from Midland High School in 1936 and later on she received a Bachelor of Science degree in Earth Science from Texas University.

I worked as manager of Western Clinic Hospital leaving that employment in 1942 for a position in the Land Department of Gulf Oil Corporation. Soon after war was declared in 1941 I volunteered for service in the Army Air Corps. Our first daughter, Barbara Velma,(HH.69), was born on December 8, 1942. Those were years of stress, worry and anxiety. We had very limited income but we look on those days during the war as being the years we felt closest to each other - just living one day at a time and knowing that this would not last forever and if I came out of this alive that the future had to be better. I was discharged a Sergeant at March Field in Riverside, California on December 5, 1945 and was home in time to celebrate the third birhtday of our daughter Barbara.

Before the war I developed a herd of registered Herford cattle. I had always had a desire to ranch. After the war we moved to a ranch about 20 miles northwest of Midland. When we moved to the ranch and remodeled a house that was located on a hill about one half mile from the highway. We did not have electricity or a telephone but we had prpmises that we whould have electricity soon so we had the house wired for electricity. We used kerosene lamps and butane for heat and cooking and refrigeration. Three years later our dream of once again living in the modern world came true along with our second daughter, Janice Adle, (HH.70). When Merle brought Janice home from the hospital I had a brand new ELECTRIC washer, dryer and water heater installed and ready for use.

Mother's Colwell sisters, Bea, Ella, Joyce and Minnie came to Midland for a visit during the Summer for as long as they were physically able to travel. Merle always invited them for dinner at some time during their stay. It was a joy to see and hear them taling during those annual visits - all taling at the same time.

I explored for and found a substantial source of underground water on one of the farms on the ranch. The soil was too sandy and the land too uneven for the conventional type of irrigation. I recalled that while I was stationed in Fresno, California during the war that I was fascinated by their sprinkle irrigation systems on some of the famrs in that arid region. I adapted that type of irrigation to my needs and was instrumental in introducing sprinkler irrigation to West Texas. We followed this profession for thiry years. After selling our ranch I started a second career as an Independent Petroleum Landman as a title specialist and have followed this line of work ever since.

Merle and I are both members of the First United Methodist Church of Midland. Merle taught Sunday School in the childrens department when out daughters were young. She was a member of the W.S.C.S. and the Boone Bible Class. We were both members of the original board of directors of the High Sky Childrens Ranch. Merle is an active member of the Midland Genealogical Society and the Midland Womans Club. Her hobbies are hand work, genealogy, reading, gardening, bridge and of course taking good care of me. I have served as a director of the Midland A.S.C.S. Committee. I served for many years as a member of the Administrative Board of the First United Methodist Church.. I am a Mason and member of the Midland Rotary Club serving as one of its directors. I am a member of the Permian Basin Landmans Association and the American Association of Petroleum Landmen. Merle and I are both charter members of the Midland High School Alumni Association and the Midland Country Club.

His wife Merle Caffey Haag was born on 17 February 1919 at Anson, Jones County, Texas, the daughter of Samuel LaFayette W. Caffey and his wife Odella Estel Smith.

Merwin Haag has written short biographies of his daughters, Barbara Velma Haag Sheppard (HH.69) and Janice Adele Haag Dunsirn (HH.70) which appear in their respective sections of this book.

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HH.1 WILLIAM THOMAS VINCENT (son of Gladys Alma Strickland
b. 14 February 1928, Alpine, Talladega, AL. G.22
d.
m. 22 June 1947, Bon Air, Talladega, AL.
To: Nancy Lea Wiley.
Their Children: II.16, II.17, II.18.

His wife was born on 19 March 1929 at Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.

HH.2 JAMES BENJAMIN VINCENT (son of Gladys Alma Strickland
b. 11 September 1929, Lincoln, AL. G.22)
d.
m. 20 June 1947, Sycamore, Talladega, AL.
To: Clara Mae Lay.
Their Children: II.19, II.20, II.21, II.22.

His wife was born on 15 January 1929 at Childersburg, AL, the daughter of Sherman C. Lay and his wife Eloise Campbell.

HH.3 LOWELL GENE VINCENT (son of Gladys Alma Strickland G.22)
b. 26 April 1931, Talladega County, AL.
d.
m. 25 August 1951, Bon Air, Talladega, AL.
To: Eugenia Duvall.
Their Children: II.23, II.24, II25.

His wife was born on 27 February 1935 in Pikeville, Kentucky the daughter of Herbert Harding Duvall and wife Blanche Jeridean Ratcliff.

HH.4 LOIS MARIE VINCENT (dgtr of Gladys Alma STrickland G.22)
b. 23 January 1933, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 29 January 1953, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Willis Barnette Finn.
Their Children: II.26, II.27, II.28.

Her husband was born on 19 May 1929 at Childersburg, AL, the son of Ira Forney Finn, Sr. and his wife Elizabeth Lee Giddens.

HH.5 BERTIE ANN VINCENT (dgtr of Gladys Alma Strickland G.22)
b. 09 September 1934, Talladega, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m. 12 November 1960, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Donald Max Thrower.
Their Children: II.29, II.30.

Her husband was born on 07 October 1935 in Heflin, Al., the son of Theron I. Thrower and his wife Essie Howell.

HH.6 BOBBY JOE VINCENT (son of Gladys Alma Strickland G.22)
b. 20 June 1936, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1). 24 August 1957,
To: Marie Ann Ross.
Their Children: II.31, II.32, II.33.
m. (2). 10 March 1976, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Ruby Carolyn Roland,
Their Children:

His first wife, Marie Ann Ross, was born on 21 June 1939 at Birmingham, Alabama. His second wife, Ruby Carolyn Roland, was born on 23 September 1943 in Talladega, Alabama, the daughter of R. J. Roland and his wife Myrtle Lee Dunnaway. He is a member of the Trinity Baptist Church of Childersburg, Alabama.

Address (1987): P.O. Box 55, Bon Air, AL 35032.

HH.7 CLARENCE RAY VINCENT (son of Gladys Alma Strickland G.22)
b. 14 May 1938, Alpine, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1). 26 March 1958,
To: Dorothy Ann Dark.
Their Children: II.34, II.35, II.36.
m. (2). 10 May 1984, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Vickie Lynn Stevenson.
Their Children: II.37.

His first wife, Dorothy Ann Dark, was born on 21 December 1942 at Sylacauga, Alabama, the daughter of Exton Henry Dark and his wife Ruby Kelley. His second wife, Vickie Lynn Stevenson, was born on 21 December 1958 in Sylacauga, Alabama, the daughter of Hugh Jackson Stevenson, Jr. and his wife Ellen Marie Stewart.

Address (1987): Route 5, Box 193-A, Sylacauga, AL 35150.

HH.8 JOHHNY WAYNE VINCENT (son of Gladys Alma Strickland G.22)
b. 05 October 1941,
d.
m. (1).
To: Judy Carol Mitchell.
Their Children: II.38, II.39.
m. (2). , College Park, GA.
To: Mary Eleanor Haywood.
Their Children: II.40, II.41.

His second wife, Mary Eleanor Haywood, was born on 06 April 1937 in Talladega County, AL, the daughter of Robert Lee Haywood and his wife Annie V. Tyler.

H.9 JOHN LUCIAN TYRA, JR. (son of Lucile Frances Strickland G.27)
b. 15 November 1936, Sycamore, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1). 20 December 1956, Rockford, IL.
To: Sue Forsberg.
Their Children: II.42, II.43.
m. (2). March 1965, GA.
To: Harriet Nelson.
Their Children: II.44, II.45.

His first wife was born on 4 November 1936, the daughter of Don Forsberg and his wife Ruth. His second wife was born on 1 November 1944, the daughter of _____ Nelson and his wife Fern _____.

H.10 HUEY EARL TYRA (son of Lucile Frances Strickland G.27)
b. 06 March 1938, Sycamore, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1). 22 March 1962, Tallahasse, FL.
To: Anita Burk.
Their Children: II.46.
m. (2). 22 May 1965, Orlando, Fl.
To: Pollyann Watkins.
Their Children: II.47.

H.11 BETTY LOU TYRA (dgtr of Lucile Frances Strickland G.27)
b. o8 January 1940, Sycamore, Talladega, AL.
d. 21 May 1941,

H.12 DOYLE HENRY WOMACK (son of Lucile Frances Strickland G.27)
b. 09 June 1951, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1). 27 October 1973, Orlando, FL.
To: Susan Richardson.
Their Children: II.48.
m. (2). 23 December 1978, Orlando, FL.
To: Gaila Posey.
Their Children: II.49, II.50, II.51.

His first wife was born on 3 August 1953 in Orlando, FL. His second wife was born on28 May 1958. He is a member of the First Baptist Church, Pine Hills, Orlando, FL.

H.13 DONALD RALPH WESSON (son of Ralph Wesson G.41)
b. 02 April 1942, Kahatchee Community, Talladega Co., AL.
d.
m. 20 December 1968, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
To: Sylvia Leigh Harry.
Their Children: II.52, II.53.

His wife was born on 02 November 1948 in Alexander City, AL, the daughter of Willard Floyd Harry and his wife Grace Evelyn Gamble.

HH.14 JOYCE ELAINE WESSON (dgtr of Ralph Wesson G.41)
b. 02 October 1943, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m. 08 August 1973, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: John Wayne Housh.
Their Children: II.54, II.55, II.56.

Her husband was born on 10 August 1941 in Winfield, Marion County, AL, the son of John Tolbert Housh and his wife Villa E. Hubbert. They are members of the Concord Methodist Church in Talladega County, AL.

Address (1987): Elaine W. Housh, Rt 5, Box 177, Talladega, AL 35160.

HH.15 ALINDA SUE WESSON (dgtr of Ralph Wesson G.41)
b. 30 September 1947, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 07 June 1965, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Arthur Ray Newman.
Their Children: II.57, II.58, II.59.

Her husband was born on 18 October 1946 in Elmore County, AL, the son of Arthur Sidney Newman and his wife Mattie Lois Emfinger.

HH.16 JUDITH DIANNE WESSON (dgtr of Lewis Franklin Wesson G.43)
b. 04 February 1943, Ship Bottom, Ocean, NJ.
d.
m. 27 February 1965, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Howard Till Lanier, Jr.
Their Children: II.60, II.61.

Her husband was born on 13 November 1941 the son of Howard Till Lanier, Sr. and his wife Mary Lamb.

HH.17 GLORIA JEAN THARIN (dgtr of Vera Elizabeth Wesson G.44)
b. 01 May 1944, Norfolk, VA.
d.
m. 22 June 1974,
To: Charles C. Chafin.
Their Children:

HH.18 FRANCEE ANNETTE THARIN (dgtr of Vera E. Wesson G.44)
b. 22 February 1947, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 17 August 1967,
To: Larry Weinfield.
Their Children: See addenda.

HH.19 CATHERINE THARIN (dgtr of Vera Elizabeth Wesson G.44)
b. 27 January 1948, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 12 February 1972,
To: Michael E. Horat.
Their Children: II.62.

Her husband was born on 15 January 1945 in Iowa City, IA, the son of Edward L. Horat and his wife Jean M. Burdine. They are members of the Church of Christ in Lilburn, GA.

Address (1987): 4042 Colonial Drive, Lilburn, GA 30247.

HH.20 MARY PATRICIA THARIN (dgtr of Vera Elizabeth Wesson G.44)
b. 11 June 1949, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 20 October 1984, Atlanta, GA.
To: Brown Brockenbrough Hutchins
Their Children: II.63 (son of David Eric Moyer).

Her husband was born on 18 January 1947 in Chicago, IL, the son of John Sellers Hutchins and his wife Belle Brockenbrough. They are members of the First Baptist Church in Fayetteville, GA.

Address (1987): 145 Timberlane Drive, Fayetteville, GA 30214.

HH.21 BETTY MARIAN THARIN (dgtr of Vera Elizabeth Wesson G.44)
b. 03 May 1954, St. Petersburg, FL.
d.
m. 09 June 1973,
To: James William Curran, Jr.
Their Children: see addenda.

HH.22 ROBBIE JEAN DUNN (dgtr of Louise Vernell Wesson G.45)
b. 28 February 1943, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 27 June 1964,
To: Thomas Melvin Sprayberry, Jr.
Their Children: II.64.

Her husband is the son of Thomas Melvin Sprayberry, Sr.

HH.23 AUDREY ANNETTE MARTIN (dgtr of Louise Vernell Wesson G.45)
b. 26 June 1951, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 19 March 1971, Fayetteville, Talladega, AL.
To: William Howard Hill.
Their Children: II.65.

(see next page)

Her husband was born on 04 September 1943 at Wilsonville, AL, the son of Howard Gaston Hill and his wife Dorothy Erline Sedinger.

Address (1987): Route 1, Box 1540, Childersburg, AL 35044.

HH.24 JEFFREY LOWELL WESSON (son of Clyde Lamar Wesson G.46)
b. 15 March 1959, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m. 28 November 1980, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
To: Susan Pamela (Leonard) Cargal.
Their Children: II.66, II.67, II.68.

His wife was born on 07 April 1955 at Albany, GA, the daughter of Lomon Clarence Leonard and his wife Roberta Faye Wright. She married first Danny L. Cargal and they had two children: II.67, Heather Michelle and II.68, Joseph Lee Cargal. Jeffrey Lowell Wesson is a member of the Eulation Methodist Church in Anniston, AL.

HH.25 MARK ANDREW WESSON (son of Clyde Lamar Wesson G.46)
b. 27 January 1960, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.26 RODNEY D. SISCO (stepson of Clyde Lamar Wesson G.46)
b. 25 May 1945, Louisville, Jefferson, KY.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

His father was Edward Sisco, first husband of Norma Lee Fulkerson.

HH.27 BELINDA ANN WESSON (dgtr of Marvin Earl Wesson G.47)
b. 09 August 1951, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 28 August 1971, Childersburg, TAlladega, AL.
To: Ronald Leslie Ray.
Their Children: II.69, II.70.

Her husband was born on 07 June 1950 in Alexander City, AL, the son of Lofton Lesley Ray and his wife Pearl Rudine Sherrer.

HH.28 MARVIN EARL WESSON, JR. (son of Marvin Earl Wesson G.47)
b. 25 September 1954, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 20 April 1974, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
TO: Marilyn Ruth Ingram.
Their Children: II.71, II.72.

His wife was born on 30 May 1955 in Birmingham, AL, the daughter of Durwood Franklin Ingram and his wife Marjorie Jones.

HH.29 SHEREE WESSON (dgtr of Marvin Earl Wesson G.47)
b. 05 February 1956, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To: William Harrison Rayfield.
Their Children: II.73.

Her husband was born on 04 April 1948 in Sylacauga, AL, the son of Harrison Rayfield and his wife Betty Blackman.

HH.30 ROBERT DALE EDMONDSON (son of Johnnie Ruth Wesson G.48)
b. 20 January 1952, Talladega County, AL.
d.
m. 28 February 1981, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Pamela Danette Haynes.
Their Children: II.74, II.75.

HH.31 SHEILA ANN EDMONDSON (dgtr of Johnnie Ruth Wesson G.48)
b. 15 June 1959, Denville, Morris, NJ.
d.
m. 12 May 1984,
To: Richard Rockwell Adams;
Their Children: II.76, II.77.

Her husband was born on 27 January 1959, the son of Stephen Adams and his wife Elaine_____. He is a member of the Catholic Church in Dover, NJ.

HH.32 BENNETT WADE EDMONDSON (son of Johnnie Ruth Wesson G.48)
b. 29 July 1963, Denville, Morris, NJ.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.33 JAMES LAMAR BRICKHOUSE (son of Mavies Joy Wesson G.49)
b. 25 March 1957, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m. 12 March 1983, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
To: Duska Joan Browning.
Their Children: II.78.

His wife was born on 26 June 1951 in Anniston, AL, the daughter of Adron Kiron Browning, Jr. and his wife Ella Mae McClintock.

HH.34 GEORGE WALLACE WESSON, JR. (son of George W. Wesson G.50)
b. 24 June 1968, Winston Salem, NC.
d.
m. 26 September 1986,
To: Wendy Michelle Prater.
Their Children:

HH.35 LYNN DORIS WESSON (dgtr of George Wallace Wesson G.50)
b. 18 March 1973, Salisbury, Rowan, NC.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.36 GABRIELLE CONSTANCE BRYANT (dgtr of Deborah J. Caldwell G.145
b. 08 June 1981, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.37 JEFFREY GRANT GOODWIN (son of Earl Caldwell Goodwin G.147)
b. 29 July 1974, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.38 JOHN WESLEY GOODWIN (son of Earl Caldwell Goodwin G.147)
b. 13 Sept 1977, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.39 GARY LYNN GOODWIN (son of Michael Ray Goodwin G.148)
b. 01 March 1973, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.40 GREGORY MICHAEL GOODWIN (son of Michael Ray Goodwin G.148)
b. 19 November 1975, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.41 BRANDON RAY GOODWIN (son of Michael Ray Goodwin G.148)
b. 28 January 1980, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.42 STEPHEN VAN NESS RIESGARD (son of Lisa Ann Goodwin G.149)
b. November 1986,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.43 RALPH F. KEMP, JR. (son of Ralph F. Kemp GG.1)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.44 FRANCES BEA KEMP (dgtr of Ralph F. Kemp GG.1)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.45 DONALD RAY KEMP (son of Raymond Kemp GG.3)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.46 JONELLE KEMP (dgtr of Raymond Kemp GG.3)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.47 JUDY KEMP (dgtr of Raymond Kemp GG.3)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.48 JIM BEN HOLCOMB (son of Faye Kemp GG.4)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.49 MARCIA RUTH HOLCOMB (dgtr of Faye Kemp GG.4)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.50 RUSSELL JR. (son of Ruth Kemp GG.7)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.51 PATSY (dgtr of Ruth Kemp GG.7)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.52 JAMIE KAY KEMP (dgtr of Benjamin Rex Kemp GG.8)
b. 04 October 1936, McCaulley, Fisher County, TX.
d.
m. 08 June 1957, Roby, Fisher County, TX.
To: James Gilbert Taylor.
Their Children: II.81, II.82, II.83, II.84.

Her husband, James Gilbert Taylor, was born on 28 February 1937 at Argyle, Denton County, Texas, the son of John Taylor and his wife Virginia Ruth Blair. He is a factory representative and a Methodist.

Jamie Kay is a school teacher and housewife. She is attending Texas Tech University in Lubbock working on an advanced degree. She is a member of the United Methodist Church and is an avid genealogist. Much of the information on the Patrick Henry Colwell (Caldwell) side of our family was provided by her and resulted from many years of intensive research on the Caldwell line. In her postgraduate work she has written a number of papers on the early history of her family and the High Plains area of Texas as it relates to the lives of the pioneer women of West Texas. The author is deeply indebted to her for her contributions to this family history.

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HH.53 ARMINTA LEE KEMP (dgtr of Benjamin Rex Kemp GG.8)
b. 11 February 1941, Rotan, Fisher, TX.
d.
m. 05 February 1964, Roby, Fisher, TX.
To: Grant Hilding Jacobson, Jr.
Their Children: II.85, II.86.

Her husband was born on 28 April 1943 at Ft. Monmouth, NJ, the son of Grant H. Jacobson, Sr., and his wife Claire Jean O'Mara. Arminta is a college professor and he is in the real estate business. They are members of the Presbyterian Church.

HH.54 JAMES KEMP (adopted son of Frank Kemp GG.9)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.55 FREDDIE MAX KEMP (son of Fred Kemp GG.10)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.56 CORDELIA ANN KEMP (dgtr of Fred Kemp GG.10)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.57 EDDIE MAC LEE (son of Nita Kemp GG.11)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.58 FREDDIE WAYNE LEE (son of Nita Kemp GG.11)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.59 ROBERT LEE WILLIAMS (son of Helen Lee Anderson GG.16)
b. 09 December 1944, Austin, Travis, TX.
d.
m. 17 June 1967, Houston, Harris, TX.
To: Patricia Ann Parmer.
Their Children: II.87, II.88, II.89.

He is a Professor of Theology and a Baptist Minister. His wife was born on 01 March 1947 in Omaha, Nebraska, the daughter of Francis Doolittle Parmer, Jr. and his wife Dorothy Lucille Heard. She is a schoolteacher and homemaker.

HH.60 BOBBY GLENN ANDERSON (son of Sidney Thomas Anderson GG.17)
b. 14 August 1935, Abiline, Taylor, TX.
d.
m. 23 April 1966, Irving, Dallas, TX.
To: Geraldine Ann Hardin.
Their Children:

He is an accountant and they are members of the Presbyterian ırch. His wife was born on 19 June 1940 in Wichita, Kansas, the ghter of Jack William Hardin and his wife Rita Mae Elbrader. She an executive secretary

HH.61 SYDNEY ANN EDWARDS (dgtr of Mary Emma Anderson GG.19)
b. 13 May 1940, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
d.
m. 26 March 1961, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
To: Wendell Loy Kent.
Their Children: II.90, II.91, II.92, II.93.

She is a schoolteacher and homemaker. They are members of the Church of Christ. Her husband is a farmer and rancher. He was born on 08 August 1940 in Fisher County, TX, the son of Gerald E. Kent and his wife Emma Lee Landers.

HH.62 SANDRA JANE EDWARDS (dgtr of Mary Emma Anderson GG.19)
b. 29 April 1942, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
d.
m. 08 July 1970, Singapore, Republic of Singapore.
To: Richard Lyndel Spears.
Their Children: II.94.

She is a schoolteacher and homemaker and a member of the Methodist Church. Her husband is an Accountant with Texas Instruments Company and a member of the Church of Christ. He was born on 27 August 1935 in Floydada, Floyd County, TX, the son of William Maurice Spears and his wife Mary Ella Clem.

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HH.63 SHARON KAY EDWARDS (dgtr of Mary Emma Anderson GG.19)
b. 29 October 1944, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
d. 16 August 1968, Zurich, Switzerland
m. (1). 24 November 1962, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
To: Thomas Earnest Bonds.
Their Children: II.95.
m. (2). 02 June 1967, To: Willard Loren Mangrum, Jr.

Her first husband was born on 05 February 1942 at Hamlin, Jones County, TX, the son of L. C. Bonds and his wife Peggy Jane _____. Sharon Kay was a schoolteacher.

HH.64 SHARON KAYE HARWOOD (dgtr of Sidney Alma Colwell GG.20)
b. 23 June 1939, Winters, Taylor, TX.
d.
m. 26 June , San Angelo, Tom Green, TX.
To: Benjamin L. Bowman.
Their Children: II.96, II.97, II.98.

HH.65 CARL VAN HARWOOD (son of Sidney Alma Colwell GG.20)
b. 06 January 1943, Winters, Taylor, TX.
d.
m. October 1983, Las Vegas, NV.
To: Teri Elswick.
Their Children:

HH.66 RONALD FRANKLIN THOMAS (son of Ethelyn Addilese Haag GG.21)
b. 05 July 1938,
d.
m. 19 January 1963,
To: Ruby LaVonn Biles.
Their Children. II.99, II.100.

HH.58 FREDDIE WAYNE LEE (son of Nita Kemp GG.11)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

HH.59 ROBERT LEE WILLIAMS (son of Helen Lee Anderson GG.16)
b. 09 December 1944, Austin, Travis, TX.
d.
m. 17 June 1967, Houston, Harris, TX.
To: Patricia Ann Parmer.
Their Children: II.87, II.88, II.89.

He is a Professor of Theology and a Baptist Minister. His wife was born on 01 March 1947 in Omaha, Nebraska, the daughter of Francis Doolittle Parmer, Jr. and his wife Dorothy Lucille Heard. She is a schoolteacher and homemaker.

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To: Benjamin L. Bowman.
Their Children: II.96, II.97, II.98.

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d.
m. October 1983, Las Vegas, NV.
To: Teri Elswick.
Their Children:

HH.66 RONALD FRANKLIN THOMAS (son of Ethelyn Addilese Haag GG.21)
b. 05 July 1938,
d.
m. 19 January 1963,
To: Ruby LaVonn Biles.
Their Children. II.99, II.100.

THE SHEPPARD FAMILY

Left to right: Shelley Christine Sheppard, II.107, Michael Sheppard, and Barbara Velma Haag Sheppard, HH.69. Barbara is the daughter of Merwin Harrell Haag, GG.22 and his wife Merle Caffey Haag.

The following is a short biographical sketch of Cois and Janice Dunsirn provided by her father Merwin Harrell Haas, GG.22:

"Janice Adele graduated from Midland High School, attended the University of Texas, majoring in Public Relations and Journalism. She was a member of Alpha Delta Pi Sorority. She married Cois Leland Dunsirn in 1970. Lee graduated from the University of Texas School of Business and is now Regional Manager of Perno Forge. Janice and Lee live in a suburban area northeast of Richmond, Texas. They have two children, Lisa Adele and Christopher Roth. Janice is very active in church and civic affairs. She is past president of the Alpha Delta Pi Alumni Association for the Houston area night group, member of the Fort Bend County Docents for the Fort Bend County Museum Association, Secretary for the New Century Garden Club and Co-Chairman of the 1987 flower show. She and Lee are both members of the Southwest Region Carriage Association of America. Janice and Lee are both member of the First United Methodist Church of Rosenberg, Texas where Janice served for three years as chairman of the Pre-school Board and was Senior High Coordinator for 1985 and 1986 and she teaches a class of teenage boys and girls. She is a member of the board of directors of the P.O.A. in Lamar Consolidated School District. She is a member of the Houston Ladies Tennis Association and the United States Tennis Association. Janice and Lee are enthusiastic skiers and taught Lisa and Christopher the sport at an early age, as a result they spend many of their holidays on the slopes of Colorado. Janice is an expert horseman and is active in both Western and English riding and is an active member of the Carriage Association of America. Their daughter Lisa, who is eleven, also excells in both English and Western riding. Lisa is in the sixth grade and has received the honor as being one of the most outstanding students of the year. Janice and Lee's son Christopher Roth is only five years old so as yet he does not have a long list of accomplishments. He has been in pre-kindergarten since he was two. He is a real boy who loves people and gets along well with his many friends. He loves school, his dog and is already quite good in reading.

Our two daughters always excelled in every endeavor. They each spent eight fun-filled Summers at Camp Waldemar for girls in the beautiful hill country west of Kerrville, Texas. They participated in all camp activities to the fullest, excelling in tennis, swimming, canoeing, riflery and were blue ribbon winners in many of the equestrian events. Barbara and Janice inherited from both my mother and my wife Merle the talent for being charming hostesses for family and friends. Mother was an expert seamtress and made beautiful clothes for Merle and our daughters and Janice inherited this talent from her grandmother. They are both excellent cooks and love the roll of homemaking and taking care of their children.

Writng this has been a tremendously rewarding and pleasurable experience - bending and coaxing our thoughts to reach back into the years and times past. The endless searching over the years by Merle and me has left us with a deep and abiding pride in our ancestors. We have permitted our imagination to mix with positive information and in the inner recesses of our minds we have been with our ancestors

THE DUNSIRN FAMILY

Left to right: Lee Dunsirn, Janice Adele Haag Dunsirn, HH.70, Christopher Roth Dunsirn, II.109, and Lisa Adele Dunsirn, II.108. Janice Adele Haag Dunsirn is the daughter of Merwin Harrell Haag, GG.22. This photograph was taken in 1983.

as they rode along the dusty wagon trails in search of a better life. As in every family they were not all good times but many good times have been remembered and perhaps relived while placing them in chronological order."

II.1 JACK NORMAN RAY, JR. (son of Carolyn Joy Caldwell H.15)
b. 07 December 1951, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 08 August 1982, Auburn, Lee, AL.
To: Wanda Jean Brannon.
Their Children:

His wife was born on 09 May 1956 in Warrington, Lancashire, England, the daughter of Edmond Coolidge Brannon and his wife Effie Edna Steel.

II.2 GARY WAYNE RAY (son of Carolyn Joy Caldwell H.15)
b. 31 August 1954, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 13 July 1980, Bozeman, Gallatin, MT.
To: Barbara Jean Behage.
Their Children: JJ.1, JJ.2.

His wife was born on 24 June 1960 at Rochester, Tennessee County, New York, the daughter of Robert Neil Behage and hsi wife Mary Madeline Lawrence.

II.3 KERRY ANNE RAY (dgtr of Carolyn Joy Caldwell H.15)
b. 04 September 1964, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 20 April 1985, Cullman, Cullman, AL.
To: Stacey Todd Lindsey.
Their Children:

Her husband was born on 12 June 1962 at Cullman, AL, the son of Raymond O'Neal Ray and his wife Geraldine Nash.

II.4 CYNDI RENEE KNEZEVICH (dgtr of Joe Wayne Knezevich H.28)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.5 JENNIFER LYNN KNEZEVICH (dgtr of Joe Wayne Knezevich H.28)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

PHYLLIS JO STRICKLAND (dgtr of Charles Edward Strickland H.30)
b. 10 June 1954, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

ELIZABETH ANN STRICKLAND (dgtr of Charles E. Strickland H.30)
b. 08 August 1956, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 28 June 1975, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Terry Michael Gallman.
Their Children: JJ.3.
m. (2). 31 October 1980, CA.
To: Mark John Kamaka.
Their Children: JJ.4.

Her first husband was born on 15 February 1953 in Talladega, AL, son of William C. Gallman and his wife Edna R. Faulkner.

8 CHARLES EDWARD STRICKLAND, JR. (son of Charles Edward Strickland H.30)
b. 22 January 1958, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. (1).
To: Kathy Ann Denham.
Their Children: JJ.5.
m. (2). Arizona.
To: Dawn Eastman.
Their Children: JJ.6, JJ.7.

9 DEBORAH ELAINE STRICKLAND (dgtr of Charles E. Strickland H.30)
b. 31 May 1961, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To: Michael Shane Abbott.
Their Children: JJ.8, JJ.9.

Her husband was born on 22 February 1960 in Savannah, Georgia. He is a member of Hepzibah Baptist Church, Route 5, Talladega, AL.

10 WANDA KAY STRICKLAND (dgtr of Charles E. Strickland H.30)
b. 10 June 1965, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 14 February 1985, Simi Valley, CA.
To: James Darrick Torres.
Their Children: JJ.10.

II.11 ROBERT GLENN STRICKLAND (son of Charles E. Strickland H.30)
b. 28 May 1968, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.12 TIMOTHY ALLEN STRICKLAND (son of Marion A. Strickland H.31)
b. 11 September 1960, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.13 GREGORY ALLEN STRICKLAND (son of Marion A. Strickland H.31)
b. 10 April 1964, Atlanta, GA.
d. 13 April 1964,

II.14 CRAIG ALLEN STRICKLAND (son of Marion A. Strickland H.31)
b. 01 September 1965, Atlanta, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.15 ALICE MICHELLE HURST (dgtr of Patricia A. Strickland H.32)
b. 20 May 1964, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 14 February 1981, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
To: Ludwig Scott Wilson.
Their Children: JJ.11.

Her husband was born on 14 November 1960 at Talladega, AL, the son of William Ludwig Wilson and his wife Ola Mae Burk.

II.16 RITCHEY WAYNE VINCENT (son of William T. Vincent HH.1)
b. 12 November 1953, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.17 WILLIAM GREGORY VINCENT (son of William T. Vincent HH.1)
b. 21 November 1954, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 17 August 1976,
To: Cheryl Ann Mullins.
Their Children: JJ.12, JJ.13.

II.18 ROBERT ALAN VINCENT (son of William Thomas Vincent HH.1)
b. 13 June 1963, Camp LeJeune, Onslow, NC.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.19 BARBARA JO VINCENT (dgtr of James Benjamin Vincent, Sr. HH.2)
b. 03 April 1948, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m. 31 July 1966,
To: Michael Phillips.
Their Children: JJ.14, JJ.15.

II.20 PEGGY SUE VINCENT (dgtr of James B. Vincent, Sr. HH.2)
b. 13 May 1953, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To: Richard Ernest Price, Sr.
Their Children: JJ.16, JJ.17, JJ.18.

II.21 JAMES BENJAMIN VINCENT, JR.(son of James B. Vincent HH.2)
b. 17 August 1958, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.22 SAMUEL LAY VINCENT (son of James Benjamin Vincent HH.2)
b. 09 May 1961, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.23 LOWELL GENE VINCENT II (son of Lowell G. Vincent I, HH.3)
b. 10 May 1957, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.24 CLARENCE DUVALL VINCENT (son of Lowell G. Vincent I HH.3)
b. 15 April 1963, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.25 JEANNE MARCELLA VINCENT (dgtr of Lowell G. Vincent I,
b. 17 November 1964, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL. HH.3)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.26 SHEILA GAIL FINN (dgtr of Lois Marie Vincent HH.4)
b. 24 June 1953, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 22 August 1980, Donaldsonville, GA.
To: Terry Eugene Sprayberry.
Their Children: JJ.19.

They are members of Southside Baptist Church in Dothan, Alabama. Her husband was born on 19 November 1950 in Gadsden, Alabama.

II.27 MARSHA KAYE FINN (dgtr of Lois Marie Vincent HH.4)
b. 19 September 1954, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 26 January 1973, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Samuel Allen Mathis.
Their Children: JJ.20, JJ.21.

Her husband was born on 17 September 1951 in Chilton County, Alabama, the son of John Allen Mathis and his wife Mary Nell Smitherman.

II.28 RICKEY STEVEN FINN (son of Lois Marie Vincent HH.4)
b. 31 July 1957, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 07 November 1980, Childersburg, Talladega, AL.
To: Linda Ann Taylor.
Their Children:

His wife was born on 13 November 1960 in Childersburg, Alabama, the daughter of Hugh Morgan Taylor and his wife Ora Marie Miles.

II.29 DONNA ANN THROWER (dgtr of Bertie Ann Vincent HH.5)
b. 06 April 1966, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.30 DON MAX THROWER (son of Bertie Ann Vincent HH.5)
b. 04 July 1968, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.31 MICHAEL JOE VINCENT (son of Bobby Joe Vincent HH.6)
b. 30 April 1958, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.32 DAVID ROSS VINCENT (son of Bobby Joe Vincent HH.6)
b. 14 July 1959, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 14 February 1978, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To: Wanda Cousins.
Their Children: JJ.22.

His wife was born on 11 October 1958.

II.33 KERRY ALAN VINCENT (son of Bobby Joe Vincent HH.6)
b. 20 January 1964, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.34 LISA ANNE VINCENT (dgtr of Clarence Ray Vincent HH.7)
b. 20 February 1962, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 21 March 1986,
To: Melvin Fuller.
Their Children:

II.35 JOHN MARK VINCENT (son of Clarence Ray Vincent HH.7)
b. 02 September 1964, Sylacauga, Talledega, AL.
d.
m.
To:

II.36 TIMOTHY RAY VINCENT (son of Clarence R. Vincent HH.7)
b. 02 October 1968, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.37 LANDON HUGH VINCENT (son of Clarence R. Vincent HH.7)
b. 15 November 1985, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.38 JEFFREY WAYNE VINCENT (son of Johnny Wayne Vincent HH.8)
b. 11 March 1961,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.39 MITCHELL SCOTT VINCENT (son of Johnny W. Vincent HH.8)
b. 25 July 1962,
d.
m. (1).
To: Melissa Moore.
Their Children: JJ.23.
m. (2).
To: Melissa Lynn Noland.
Their Children: JJ.24.

II.40 ANTHONY WAYNE VINCENT (son of Johnny W. Vincent HH.8)
b. 05 October 1966, Fulton County, GA.
d.
m. , Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
To:Rhonda Kay Gooden.
Their Children: JJ.25, JJ.26.

His wife was born on 10 April 1966 in Talladega County, Alabama, the daughter of David Marion Gooden and his wife Frances Lynese Sumners.

II.41 JOHN WILLIAM VINCENT (son of Johnny W. Vincent HH.8)
b. 28 January 1971, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.42 KIMBERLY ANN TYRA (dgtr of John Lucian Tyra, Jr. HH.9)
b. 26 November 1957, Deland, FL.
m. May ,
To: Michael Ellis.
Their Children: JJ.27.

II.43 MARK JOHN TYRA (son of John Lucian Tyra, Jr. HH.9)
b. 22 May 1960, Rockford, IL.
d.
m. 20 April 1985,
To: Laure _____.
Their Children:

II.44 KENNETH JAY TYRA (son of John Lucian Tyra, Jr. HH.9)
b. 31 September 1965, Jacksonville, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.45 CHRISTI RENA TYRA (dgtr of John Lucian Tyra, Jr. HH.9)
b. 08 November 1967, Atlanta, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.46 JANET ANITA TYRA (dgtr of Huey Earl Tyra HH.10)
b. 19 October 1962, Jacksonville, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.47 MICHAEL DAVID TYRA (son of Huey Earl Tyra HH.10)
b. 14 December 1959,
d.
m.
To: Monta _____.
Their Children: JJ.28.

II.48 CLINTON BARON WOMACK (son of Doyle Henry Womack HH.12)
b. 03 September 1973, Orlando, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.49 AMANDA ARYN WOMACK (dgtr of Doyle Henry Womack HH.12)
b. 30 March 1980, Orlando, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.50 ANOLA DAWN WOMACK (dgtr of Doyle Henry Womack HH.12)
b. 30 March 1980, Orlando, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.51 LYDIA MAUREEN WOMACK (dgtr of Doyle H. Womack HH.12)
b. 05 June 1983, Orlando, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.52 ANDREW RALPH WESSON (son of Donald Ralph Wesson HH.13)
b. 15 December 1972, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.53 LINTON ALAN WESSON (son of Donald Ralph Wesson HH.13)
b. 08 December 1975, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.54 JOHN WESSON HOUSH (son of Joyce Elaine Wesson HH.14)
b. 07 June 1974, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.55 ERIC LANE HOUSH (son of Joyce Elaine Wesson HH.14)
b. 11 August 1976, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.56 DONALD ROSS HOUSH (son of Joyce Elaine Wesson HH.14)
b. 23 November 1978, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.57 ALINDA RENAE NEWMAN (dgtr of Alinda Sue Wesson HH.15)
b. 12 February 1967, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m. 20 June 1986, Leeds, Jefferson, AL.
To: Michael Yarbrough.
Their Children: JJ.29.

II.58 SHANNON RAY NEWMAN (son of Alinda Sue Wesson HH.15)
b. 11 September 1968, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.59 ANGELA DENIESE NEWMAN (dgtr of Alinda S. Wesson HH.15)
b. 18 August 1970, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.60 ELIZABETH WESSON LANIER (dgtr of Judith Diane Wesson HH.16)
b. 26 November 1967,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.61 MICHAEL KENT LANIER (son of Judith Diane Wesson HH.16)
b. 18 April 1973, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.62 ROSEANNA ELIZABETH HORAT (dgtr of Catherine Tharin HH.19)
b. 19 July 1979, Camden, Kershaw, SC.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.63 BRIAN EDWARD MOYER (son of Mary Patricia Tharin HH.20)
b. 15 March 1976, Columbus, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.64 JENNIFER ANNETTE SPRAYBERRY (dgtr of Robbie Jean Dunn HH.22)
b. 02 October 1971, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.65 TONIA DAWN HILL (dgtr of Audrey Annette Martin HH.23)
b. 07 July 1972, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.66 CHRISTINA NACOLE WESSON (dgtr of Jeffrey Lowell Wesson HH.24)
b. 06 March 1984, Jacksonville, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.67 HEATHER MICHELLE CARGAL (step-dgtr of Jeffrey L. Wesson HH.24)
b. 21 October 1975, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.68 JOSEPH LEE CARGAL (step-son of Jeffrey L. Wesson HH.24)
b. 23 May 1973, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.69 RONALD LESLIE RAY, JR. (son of Belinda Ann Wesson HH.27)
b. 29 September 1972, Alexander City, Tallapoosa, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.70 JEREMY SLADE RAY (son of Belinda Ann Wesson HH.27)
b. 27 September 1977, Dothan, Houston, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.71 BRANDY RENEE WESSON (dgtr of Marvin Earl Wesson, Jr.
b. 26 February 1975, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.HH.28)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.72 DARBY LYNN WESSON (dgtr of Marvin Earl Wesson, Jr. HH.28)
b. 13 December 1983, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.73 MICHAEL PAUL RAYFIELD (son of Sheree Wesson HH.29)
b. 10 October 1974, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.74 CHRISTOPHER DALE EDMONDSON (son of Robert D. Edmondson
b. 28 December 1982, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL. HH.30)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.75 ROBERT MICHAEL EDMONDSON (son of Robert D. Edmondson
b. 06 December 1984, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL. HH.30)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.76 MATHEW DAVID ADAMS (son of Sheila Ann Edmondson HH.31)
b. 06 June 1986, Dover, Morris, NJ.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.77 ERIC EDWARD ADAMS (son of Sheila Ann Edmondson HH.31)
b. 06 June 1986, Dover, Morris, N.J.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.78 KYLE ANDREW BRICKHOUSE (son of James L. Brickhouse HH.33)
b. 01 May 1985, Anniston, Calhoun, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.79 CASEY DAWN DuVERNEY (dgtr of Brenda Ann Chappell H.70)
b. 19 November 1983, Oklahoma City, OK.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.80 ZACHARY THOMAS DuVERNEY (son of Brenda A, Chappell H.70)
b. 27 August 1985, Oklahoma City, OK.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.81 KATHY LYNN TAYLOR (dgtr of Jamie Kay Kemp HH.52)
b. 10 August 1958, Lubbock, Lubbock, TX.
d.
m. 31 January 1979, Abernathy, TX.
To: Sherlin Jay Gerhart.
Their Children:

II.82 BELINDA GAY TAYLOR (dgtr of Jamie Kay Kemp HH.52)
b. 08 January 1960, Lubbock, Lubbock, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.83 BEVERLY ANNETTE TAYLOR (dgtr of Jamie Kay Kemp HH.52)
b. 13 August 1961, Lubbock, Lubbock, TX.
d.
m.
To: Gary Duane Cotton.
Their Children: JJ.29.

II.84 RONALD WAYNE TAYLOR (son of Jamie Kay Kemp HH.52)
b. 03 November 1963, Lubbock, Lubbock, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.85 GRANT HILDING JACOBSON, III (son of Arminta Lee Kemp HH.53)
b. 10 July 1967, Denton, Denton, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.86 KYLE REX JACOBSON (son of Arminta Lee Kemp HH.53)
b. 27 February 1969, Denton, Denton, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.87 DAVID BLAKE WILLIAMS (son of Robert Lee Williams HH.59)
b. 02 July 1974, Richmond, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.88 LINDSEY JOY WILLIAMS (dgtr of Robert Lee Williams HH.59)
b. 06 December 1976, Surrey, British Columbia.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.89 LORI MICHELLE WILLIAMS (dgtr of Robert L. Williams HH.59)
b. 07 November 1981, Lexington, KY.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.90 KARY RIGDON KENT (son of Sydney Ann Edwards HH.61)
b. 10 January 1964, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
d.
m. 28 June 1986, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
To: Jennifer Elaine Gortney.
Their Children:

II.91 KAREN ANN KENT (dgtr of Sydney Ann Edwards HH.61)
b. 28 December 1965, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
d.
m. 12 July 1985, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
To: Alfred Dean Hunt.
Their Children:

II.92 KRISTI LYNN KENT (dgtr of Sydney Ann Edwards HH.61)
b. 13 March 1968, Sweetwater, Nolan, Tx.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

II.93 GERALD KEITH KENT (son of Sydney Ann Edwards HH.61)
b. 12 October 1972, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

II.94 MARY SUSAN SPEARS (dgtr of Sandra Jane Edwards HH.62)
b. 10 June 1971, Singapore, Republic of Singapore.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

II.95 STACY JANE BONDS (dgtr of Sharon Kay Edwards HH.63)
b. 24 October 1963, Sweetwater, Nolan, TX.
d.
m. 04 July 1983, Las Vegas, NV.
To: Ronald E. Miller. Their Children: JJ.30, JJ.31.

II.96 BARRY L. BOWMAN (son of Sharon Kaye Harwood HH.64)
b. 03 April 1956, San Angelo, Tom Green, TX.
d.
m. July 1979, Tulsa, OK.
To: Kathleen Koehn. Their Children:

II.97 BYRON L. BOWMAN (son of Sharon Kaye Harwood HH.64)
b. 22 October 1958, Odessa, TX.
d.
m. April 1978, Tulsa, OK.
To: April Palmer. Their Children:

II.98 BRANDA KAY BOWMAN (dgtr of Sharon Kaye Harwood HH.64)
b. 01 October 1960, San Angelo, Tom Green, TX.
d.
m. 17 November 1984, Tulsa, OK.
To: Rex Enterline. Their Children:

II.99 DAVID BRUCE THOMAS (son of Ronald Franklin Thomas HH.66)
b. 01 October 1967, Palestine, TX.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

II.100 BRIAN PAUL THOMAS (son of Ronald Franklin Thomas HH.66)
b. 20 January 1972, Johnson County, AR.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

II.101 STEVEN FRANKLIN THOMAS (son of Rea Conn Thomas HH.67)
b. 18 October 1968, Barcelona, Spain.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

He was adopted, 10 December 1971, by Roger Haag Thomas, HH.68.

II.102 MICHAEL REA THOMAS (son of Rea Conn Thomas HH.67)
b. 03 December 1970, Midland, Midland, TX.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

He was adopted, 10 December 1971, by Roger Haag Thomas, HH.68.

II.103 MARK ANDREW THOMAS (son of Roger Haag Thomas HH.67)
b. 05 April 1976, Midland, Midland, TX.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

II.104 VALARIE ANN THOMAS (dgtr of Rea Conn Thomas HH.67)
b. 24 March 1978, Midland, Midland, TX.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

II.105 JAMES AVERY THOMAS (son of Rea Conn Thomas HH.67)
b. 29 November 1979, Midland, Midland, TX.
d.
m.
To: Their Children:

II.106 PAUL ANTHONY THOMAS (son of Rea Conn Thomas HH.67)
b. 13 January 1982, Midland, Midland, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.107 LAURA LEE THOMAS (dgtr of Rea Conn Thomas HH.67)
b. 13 January 1982, Midland, Midland, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.108 JEFFREY LYNN THOMAS (son of Roger Haag Thomas HH.68)
b. 10 September 1972, Waco, McLellan, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.109 ERIN LINDZAY THOMAS (dgtr of Roger Haag Thomas HH.68)
b. 25 May 1978, Ponca City, OK.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.110 SHELLY CHRISTINE SHEPPARD (dgtr of Barbara Velma Haag
b. 05 October 1978, Houston, Harris, TX. HH.69)
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.111 LISA ADELE DUNSIRN (dgtr of Janice Adele Haag HH.70)
b. 18 July 1976, Shreveport, Caddo, LA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

II.112 CHRISTOPHER ROTH DUNSIRN (son of Janice Adele Haag HH.70)
b. 01 December 1981, Houston, Harris, TX.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.1 SAM EVERETT RAY (son of Gary Wayne Ray II.2)
b. 23 September 1983, Bozeman, GAllatin, MT.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.2 DYLAN JOSEPH RAY (son of Gary Wayne Ray II.2)
b. 12 January 1986, Bozeman, Gallatin, MT.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.3 JONATHAN MICHAEL GALLMAN (son of Elizabeth A. Strickland II.7)
b. 08 April 1977, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.4 JERMAINE THUNDER KAMAKA (son of Elizabeth A. Strickland II.7)
b. 14 February 1981, Simi Valley, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.5 JOHN THOMAS STRICKLAND (son of Charles E. Strickland, Jr. II.8)
b. 10 February 1978, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.6 KRISTYN DAWN STRICKLAND (dgtr of Charles E. Strickland, Jr. II.8)
b. 10 July 1985, Arizona.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.7 QUINTON CHARLES STRICKLAND (son of Charles E. Strickland II.8)
b. 20 November 1986, Arizona.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.8 RICHARD SHANE ABBOTT (son of Deborah E. Strickland II.9)
b. 11 October 1981, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.9 CHRISTOPHER JOSEPH ABBOTT (son of Deborah E. Strickland II.9)
b. 08 November 1983, Fairhope, Mobile, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.10 DARRICK JAMES TORRES (son of Wanda Kay Strickland II.10)
b. 21 August 1985, Simi Valley, CA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.11 NATHAN SCOTT WILSON (son of Alice Michelle Hurst II.15)
b. 15 March 1985, Talladega, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.12 RYAN CHRISTOPHER VINCENT (son of William G. Vincent II.17)
b. 21 February 1981, Panama City, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.13 ALISON LEIGH VINCENT (dgtr of William G. Vincent II.17)
b. 24 August 1982, Panama City, FL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.14 REGINA MICHELLE PHILLIPS (dgtr of Barbara J. Vincent II.19)
b. 31 May 1968, Jacksonville, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.15 MICHAEL JAY PHILLIPS (son of Barbara Jo Vincent II.19)
b. 09 September 1971, Huntsville, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.16 CRYSTAL DAWN PRICE (dgtr of Peggy Sue Vincent II.19)
28 November 1971, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.17 RICHARD ERNEST PRICE, JR. (son of Peggy Sue Vincent II.19)
b. 16 June 1976, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.18 KATHRYN AMI PRICE (dgtr of Peggy Sue Vincent II.19)
b. 12 February 1981, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.19 ANGELA MARIE SPRAYBERRY (dgtr of Sheila Gail Finn II.26)
b. 18 December 1981, Dothan, Houston, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.20 SAMUEL ALLEN MATHIS, JR. (son of Marsha Kaye Finn II.27)
b. 21 April 1982, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.21 STEVEN BRADLEY MATHIS (son of Marsha Kaye Finn II.27)
b. 01 August 1984, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.22 STEVEN DAVID VINCENT (son of David Ross Vincent II.32)
b. 06 September 1979, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.23 JOEL BLAKE VINCENT (son of Mitchell Scott Vincent II.39)
b. September 1981,
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.24 ASHLEY NICOLE VINCENT (dgtr of Mitchell S. Vincent II.39)
b.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.25 TELA KAY VINCENT (dgtr of Anthony Wayne Vincent II.40)
b. 01 September 1985, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.26 KRYSTAL LYNN VINCENT (dgtr of Anthony W. Vincent II.40)
b. 19 November 1986, Sylacauga, Talladega, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.27 BRENT ELLIS (son of Kimberly Ann Tyra II.42)
b. 19 July 1981, Atlanta, Fulton, GA.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.28 TROY TYRA (son of Michael David Tyra II.47)
b. April 1981, NC.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.29 JAMES ANTHONY YARBROUGH (son of Alinda R. Newman II.57)
b. 09 December 1986, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
d.
m.
To:
Their Children:

JJ.30 AMANDA MILLER (dgtr of Stacy Jane Rhods II.95)
b. 24 September 1984,
d.
m.
To:

JJ.31 JUSTIN THOMAS MILLER (son of Stacy Jane Rhods II.95)
b.
d.
m.

APPENDIX

B

FAMILY CONNECTIONS OF INTEREST

THE HARRIS FAMILY

The Caldwell connection to the prolific Harris Line originates as far as we can determine sometime prior to the emigration of David Caldwell and his wife Ann Harris around 1740.

David and Ann Harris Caldwell were probably married in County, Donegal, Ireland, where their first child, James Caldwell, A.1, was born about 1738. Their second child, John Caldwell, A.2, was born there around 1740.

Ann Harris is reputed to have been the daughter of James Harris and his wife Mary Simpson, according to research conducted by Isaac Harris of Havana, Cuba, and published in August, 1938. He states that James Harris was born about 1660 in Ireland and died in Pennsylvania about 1726. His father was Edward Harris of Glenmarquin who was born in Raphoe, County Donegal, Ireland, about 1643. He was a Ruling Elder of the Raphoe Presbyterian Church. His wife was Flora Douglas.

A chart included in the book, "Ancestors and Descendants of Robert Harris, Sr.," by Mary Harris Stratton, (1967), (Brooks Litho Charlotte, North Carolina, Library of Congress catalog number 67-6637) carries this line back through the centuries and purports the Harris line to descend from most of the crowned heads of Europe, and to Charlemagne, Emperor of the West who died around 814 A.D. Kings included in this lineage are: Robert the Bruce of Scotland; David, King of Scotland; Malcolm Cannamore, King of Scotland; Alfred the Great, King of England; William the Conqueror of England; and many of the Magna Charta Barons, who at Runnemede in 1215 forced King John of England to sign that famous document which laid the foundation for parliamentary government.

This lineage, as is usually the case when more than one genealogist get together, is questioned by some. The author has not researched it extensively to determine its authenticity. If the reader is interested, he may do so at his leisure.

Some genealogists feel that this Harris line was at one time located in the Vendosime Region of France, possibly bearing the Gallic name of Heriz.

Another excellent source of material on the Harris (Herries, Harries, Heriz, etc.) line is the book: "Harris, Dunlop, Valentine, and Allied Families," by William M. Mervine, a member of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. This book was printed in 1920 and is in the Library of Congress and other libraries. It is a very good study of the Harris Family and contains a great deal of documentation and historical data.

The Caldwells and Harrises intermarried on many occasions, and we see David Caldwell's son James Caldwell, A.1, marrying Elizabeth Harris, probably a cousin. However, we have not been able to determine who her parents were.

There is another Harris connection for the descendants of William Harris Caldwell, C.17. His wife Elizabeth Moseley, the daughter of Henry Moseley and Jane Mckinley Moseley, was a descendant to Colonel Thomas Harris who came to America in 1611 aboard the ship Prosperous. He was a member of the Virginia Company which financed the settling of Jamestown and other early Virginia colonies. He was also a member of the Virginia House of Burgesses for many years. His daughter, Mary Harris, married Colonel Thomas Ligon (Lygon), another very early Virginia settler from England. This line has been used by the author and Johnnie Caldwell Files, among others, to qualify for membership in the Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, the Jamestowne Society, and other hereditary societies. This line has been well documented back into antiquity to the royal families of Europe. American lines to which this connects include the Hancocks, Cockes, Gurganys, Basses, McKinleys, Wilsons, Beatties, and others.

Material relative to these lines can be found in the book: "Adventurers of Purse and Person, 1607-1625," by A. L. Jester, "The Ligon Family and Connections," (1947), by William D. Ligon, and other reliable publications and periodicals which can be found in any sizable library in the United States.

THE MOSELEYS AND MCKINLEYS

We connect with the McKinleys through the marriage of William Harris Caldwell, C.17, to Elizabeth Moseley. As stated above, her mother was Jane McKinley, the daughter of William McKinley, who was reportedly born at sea on the voyage to America in about 1744, and his wife Mary Beattie (Beatty). He was the son of John McKinley and his wife Esther Wilson. Both John and William McKinley are proven patriot ancestors who fought in the American Revolution in South Carolina and can be used as proof of eligibility for membership in the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Sons of the American Revolution. They were from County Monaghan, Ireland and settled in Abbeville District, South Carolina as did the Moseleys beginning with Richard Moseley, II (1756-1832), the grand father of Elizabeth Moseley Caldwell. Richard Moseley, II's father Richard Moseley, I, was also a Revolutionary War patriot who furnished supplies to the Continental forces during the war. His widow Mary Bass Moseley is also recognized as a patriot for continuing to supply the Colonials after her husband died while she was acting as executrix of his estate. She was the daughter of Thomas Bass and his wife Mary _____, and was born in Powhatan County, Virginia.

The patriarch of the Moseley line in America was William Moseley who came to Virginia around 1649, settling in Lynnhaven Parish, Lower Norfolk County, Virginia. He was a justice from 1649 to 1655, High Sheriff and member of the House of Burgesses. His son Arthur Moseley, II, came with his father to America and was also High Sheriff and a Burgess during his lifetime. He married first, Joan Hancock, daughter of Simon Hancock.

The Moseley and Hancock lines have been established without question as proof for membership in the Colonial Dames of the CVII Century and other hereditary societies, by Johnnie Caldwell Files and others.

An added note on the McKinleys is the fact that John McKinley's brother, James McKinley, who settled in the North, was the ancestor of President William McKinley, an Ohian.

THE THOMPSON AND ALLEN LINES

John Caldwell, B.2, son of James Caldwell, A.1, married Elizabeth Thompson, the daughter of Matthew Thompson, II and his wife Rachel Allen. The Thompsons and Allens came to Abbeville District, South Carolina just prior to the American Revolution. Rachel Allen was the daughter of James Allen, who was a Revolutionary War Soldier in Virginia, as was her husband Matthew Thompson, II.

The Allens were members of the Tinkling Springs Presbyterian Church near present-day Fisherville, Virginia, in the Shenandoah Valley. The author, his wife Mary Emily Caldwell, and Aunt Johnnie Caldwell Files visited the church and cemetery in the summer of 1984. The church and cemetery are well cared for and services are still held there regularly. The Thompsons were resident in the same area, but were members of the Peaked Mountain Presbyterian Church a few miles north of Tinkling Springs.

Deeds and land plats indicate that the Allens and Thompsons owned land in the area in the 1730's and 1740's.

Jerry Thomson of Huntsville, Alabama, has done extensive research on the Thom(p)son line in the United States and has made several trips to Ireland and Scotland in search of the famiy's origins. Unfortunately, he has not been able to find a definite connection between the Matthew Thompson line and an ancestor in the British Isles. He has amassed a wealth of genealogical data on this, and connecting lines and has been very forthcoming in sharing with fellow researchers. One of his favorite pastimes has been tramping over the rolling hills of Abbeville County, South Carolina, endeavoring to pinpoint the exact location of the homesteads of the Caldwells, Thompsons, Hamiltons and Mckinleys. An elusive prize which has intrigued him for many years is the location of Fort Bull, a Revolutionary War fort in Abbeville County.

We are stalled on the Allen line with James Allen, the father of Rachel, but hope to discover a link someday. Clues and data are always showing up in the least expected places and from the most unusual sources. One may work diligently for twenty years without results and suddenly the answer will come like a bolt from the blue. Usually, however, it comes as a result of years of tedious correspondence with fellow researchers and hundreds of hours spent toiling in countless libraries and archives. Fortunately, the great majority of amatuer genealogists are willing to share their findings freely with their fellows with the cost being only a self-addressed-stamped envelope and the payment of copying expenses.

THE FRENCH AND PARKER LINES

Lemuel Joseph Caldwell, D.28, married Frances Jeanette French, the daughter of John Henry French and Ellen Parker French in Yazoo County, Mississippi, in 1873. We have been unable to find any further information on John Henry French; however, the census records indicate that he was born in the state of New York. Family tradition has it that he ran away from home while quite young and came to Mississippi, where he married Ellen Parker, the daughter of Richard Parker and his wife Sarah. We think that Richard could have been the son of a Connecticut Revolutionary War veteran named Asaph Parker who died in Mississippi around 1836. Richard Parker named one of his sons "Asa". But, we have not been able to find any proof to substantiate this supposition. Interestingly, the Parker and French families cross paths quite frequently in the early censuses of New York, Connecticut, and other New England states, and it is hoped that someone will make a connection in that area of the country.

THE BASYE, SMOOT, MEEKS AND GASCOIGNE LINES

John Henry Caldwell, E.24, married Sadye Paul in 1904 in Little Rock, Arkansas. She was the daughter of John Isaac Paul and his wife Ozilla Basye. Ozilla Basye was the daughter of John Basye and Sarah Smoot who came to Arkansas just prior to the Civil War from Kentucky. John Basye comes from a long, documented line which originates in the United States with the immigrant, Edmond Basye prior to 1646. This line ties in with the Smoots, Grants, Meekses, Gascoignes and Taylors. Most of these families arrived in the New World in the seventeenth century.

These lines have nearly all been documented extremely well and used for admission into many hereditary societies. There is a fine book chronicling the Basye Family from its first appearance on the American scene entitled: "The Basye Family in America," by Otto Basye, (Kansas City, Missouri, 1950).

The Smoot Family is documented quite extensively in the book: "Smoots of Maryland and Virginia; Genealogical History of William Smute," by Henry Wright Newman, (Washington , DC., 1936). Newman gives some background on the origins of the family in Scotland and details the lineage from the time William Smoot came to America shortly after 1633, settling first in Virginia and later in Maryland.

A descendant of the emigrant William Smoot (Smute), John Smoot fought in the Revolutionary War and has left behind a fascinating chronicle of his service in the form of his pension application (#19403, The National Archives, Washington, DC.) in which he rather understatedly details the rigorous long-marches his unit made from Winchester, Virginia, to Boston, Massachusetts, where he participated in George Washington's famous siege. In one place in the pension application, he rather nonchalantly states, "We marched to Quebec for that campaign." Fortunately or unfortunately, as the case may be, John Smoot did not finish the trek to Quebec, was returned "sick" before that ill-fated campaign reached its culmination in defeat.

the glue that made the society of their time a cohesive entity and made possible the exploration and settlement of this great nation. It was not the wealthy and powerful financier of England and the original thirteen colonies who made possible the settling of the American wilderness. Seldom did they risk their lives and fortunes until the yeoman farmer, the fur trader, and the indomitable explorer had blazed the trail, struggled with the harsh terrain, and battled the hostile Indians. They risked their lives and the lives of their loved ones in search of better lives for themselves and their posterity, leaving thousands of them dead, their bones left to bleach in the wilderness they sought to conquer.

So if you find not an abundance of renowned predecessors in this lineage, be not dismayed. Feel proud to spring from a race of men and women who truly provided the spark that opened up America for us and our children and grandchildren.

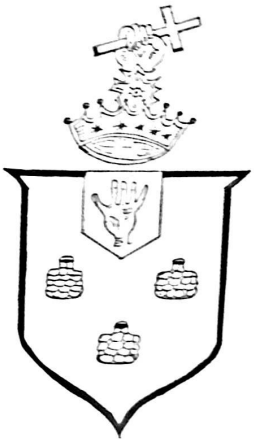
Today we live in a manner and style which to them would have been undreamed of luxury with creature comforts they could never have imagined as they struggled to clear the thick oak and tall pine in order to plant a subsistence crop to ensure their very survival during the harsh winters on the frontier.

We have lost that tenacity, that determination and ability to adapt to the vicissitudes of life. We cannot imagine living under such primitive and trying conditions, without electricity, natural gas, running water, automobiles, modern medicine, television, frozen dinners, milk from the dairy counter, ad infinitum. Yet, as I mentioned above, we can, when faced with seemingly overwhelming problems, draw strength from the knowledge that they prevailed over travails many times more threatening than those we face today.

Sudying our ancestors is somewhat like reading the Book of Job in the Old Testament Bible. When we compare our troubles with those of the prophet we soon discover that they are insignificant and not without precedent.

APPENDIX C

COATS OF ARMS



Caldwell

Harris

They are often beautiful and intriguing in design and significance. And many of us would like to think a particularly attractive one represents our family. Unfortunately, there is a "fly-in-the-ointment".

According to the Encyclopaedia Britannica and other authoritative sources we are, in most cases, not entitled to claim a coat of arms just because some remote and distant ancestor was awarded arms by some ancient monarch. Nonetheless, we may play mind games with our egos and display arms that appeal to us and which were perhaps earned by some ancestor in the distant past.

Arms were traditionally awarded to men who rendered distinguished service to the crown, usually in battle. The recipient, and at his death, his first son could use this knightly symbol to represent their family. Under the rule of primogeniture the arms passed to the first son. Arms could be taken away along with the bearers estates by the crown if the family wavered in its loyalty.

There are in existence several arms purported to have been awarded to various branches of the Caldwell family. We do not know which, if any of these, if any of these, can be attributed to our branch.

I have included on this page the Caldwell and Harris arms which most appeal to me. But, I have no inkling that they ever graced the shield or hung in the halls of our ancestors. They are pretty and make interesting conversation pieces hanging on the wall of our dens or adorning our stationery.

If you are interested in pursuing this subject further, I would suggest that you read Burke's Encyclopedia of Heraldry, Fairbain's Crests, Burke's General Armory, and the Encyclodaedia Britannica. These sources go into great detail regarding the precise meaning of each device, color and detail found on the arms.

ADDENDA

The following information was received by the author after the completion of the main body and appendices of this book. It concerns some of the descendants of Elva Elise Hare (G.20) who was the daughter of Annie Elizabeth Caldwell (F.11) and her husband Boss Ragan Hare.

DORIS ELISE DRUMMONDS (dgtr of Elva Elise Hare G.20)
b. 11 June 1947, Pell City, St. Clair, AL.
d. 11 June 1947,

JIMMIE DEAN DRUMMONDS (dgtr of Elva Elise Hare G.20)
b. 23 August 1948, Pell City, St. Clair, AL.
d.
m. 26 August 1966, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Walter Jerry Hood.
Their Children: Walter Jerry Hood, Jr., b. 11 August 1968.
Jeffrey Allen Hood, b. 17 July 1970.

Both of her children were born in Birmingham, Alabama. Her husband Walter Jerry Hood was born in Hackleburg, Marion County, Alabama, the son of Walter Hood.

Jimmie Dean Drummonds married second, Fred Goolsby on 05 March 1984.

JAMES OTIS DRUMMONDS, JR. (son of Elva Elise Hare G.20)
b. 01 August 1950, Pell City, St. Clair, AL.
d. 15 July 1969,
m. 08 November 1968,
To: Blanche Virginia Henley.
Their Children: Also see H.29 in main section of this book.

WILLIAM RAGAN DRUMMONDS (son of Elva Elise Hare G.20)
b. 25 June 1952, Pell City, St. Clair, AL.
d.
m.(1). 01 August 1970, Birmingham, Jefferson, AL.
To: Dixie Diane Chapman.
Their Children: Shannon Beth Drummonds, b. 18 Dec. 1972.
m. (2). 26 September 1980,
To: Doris Jean Browning.
Their Children:

His first wife was born 05 September 1953 in Franklin, GA, the daughter of Elbert Chapman and his wife Faye Capes. His second wife was born 15 July 1949 in Talladega, AL, the daughter of Grover D. Browning and his wife Emma Jean Smith.

The following late arriving material concerns descendants of Patrick Henry Colwell (Caldwell), E.33.

CHARLES HENRY SCOTT (Son of Ella Luvenia Colwell FF.77)
b: 30 Dec 1911, d: 03 Jun 1985, Lubbock, TX.
m: 23 May 1937, Moran, TX To: Allie Eason.
Their Children: Charles Allen Scott.

He was a cattleman and rancher. He is buried in Sylvester Cemetery, Sylvester, TX. His wife was born 19 February 1914 in Rotan, TX, the daughter of William Walter Eason and Alva Cinda Ann Killen.

ELIZABETH SCOTT (dgtr of Ella Luvenia Colwell FF.77)
b: 10 Aug 1920 d:
m: 28 Dec 1936 To: Merrill Turner.

CHARLES ALLEN SCOTT (son of Charles Henry Scott)
b: 01 Jan 1942, Tulsa, OK. d: Aug 19___.
m: 18 May 1964, Nugent, TX. To: Helen Bockman.

According to Mrs. Conn C. Thomas, Midland, TX, he was adopted.

ELLA LOUISE WARD (dgtr of Minnie Bernice Colwell FF.79)
b: 21 Jun 1924, Sylvester, TX. d:
m: 16 Jan 1943, Midland, TX. To: Charles Leo Gould.

Her husband was born 9 June 1921 in New York City, NY, the son of Charles Reynolds Gould and his wife Mary Agnes Catherine Kelly. He is a retired USAF Colonel (pilot). Louise is a nurse. They are members of the Roman Catholic Church.

Address (1987): 360 SE 5th Terrace, Pompano Beach, FL 33060.

CHARLES WARD GOULD (son of Ella Louise Ward)
b: 13 Jan 1944, NY, NY. d:
m: 21 Jun 1969, Rye, NY. To: Eleanor O'Gara.

WILLIAM BERNARD GOULD (son of Ella Louise Ward)
b: 26 Sep 1945, Ft. Worth, Texas. d:
m: 22 Jul 1970, Ft. Lauderdale, FL. To: Gwen Worthen.

LOUISE MARIE GOULD (dgtr of Ella Louise Ward)
b: 03 Apr 1957, Rantsul, IL. d:
m: , Ft. Lauderdale, FL. To: Neil Reiter.

SHAWN FRANKLIN WEINFIELD (son of Francee Annette Tharin HH.18)
b: 19 September 1969, St. Petersburg, Pinellas, FL.
d:
m: To:
Their Children:

DANIEL EVAN WEINFIELD (son of Francee Annette Tharin HH.18)
b: 31 August 1971, St. Petersburg, Pinellas, FL.
d:
m: To:
Their Children:

ROCHELLE BETH WEINFIELD (dgtr of Francee Annette Tharin HH.18)
b:
d:
m: To:
Their Children:

AMANDA MARIE CURRAN (dgtr of Betty Marian Tharin HH.21)
b: 18 March 1979, St. Petersburg, Pinellas, FL.
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m: To:
Their Children:

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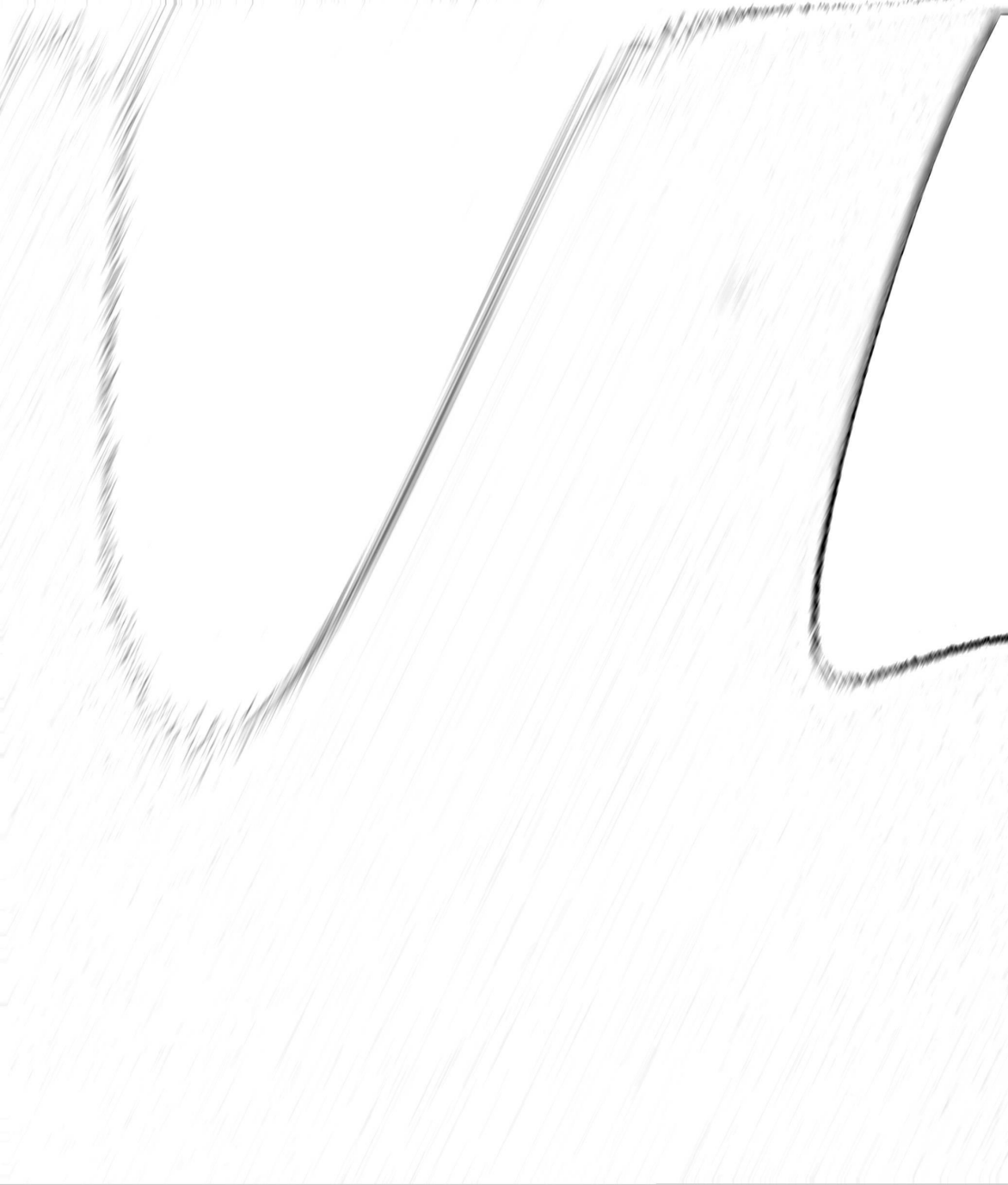

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